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## Western M.P.'s Move to Curb Tariff Fixing

'Back Door' Methods Used to Change Parliament's Schedules

### Protection Raised

By NORMAN M. MACLEOD  
OTTAWA — The Mackenzie King ministry, it is learned on high authority, proposes to introduce to the approaching session of Parliament legislation which will curb drastically, if not destroy entirely the discretionary power the Minister of National Revenue has over tariff rates.

Such legislation has been demanded militantly by western Canada Liberals since the present government took office. The consequent probability is it will be resisted no less strenuously by the M.P.'s—Liberal as well as Conservative—from the industrial provinces of Quebec and Ontario.

Whether it will be possible to pass the legislation in one session, in view of the certainty as to its controversial nature and the general hope for an early adjournment because of the scheduled Royal Visit, government sources are not prepared to prophesy.

### MINISTER'S "DISCRETION"

The main object of the legislation is to terminate both the possibility and the actuality of what western Liberals have described as tariff fixing, not by Parliament or even by order-in-council, but simply by ministerial decree.

Under the Customs Act as it exists today, the Minister of National Revenue enjoys wide powers to specify wholly arbitrary rates of tariff upon goods imported under unusual circumstances and conditions which render it difficult to determine their fair market value for duty purposes. While on the face of it this provision might seem to be innocent enough, it is rendered potentially the most significant feature of the Canadian tariff set-up, by reason of a further section which declares that the Minister of National Revenue shall be the sole judge as to when "unusual circumstances" prevail.

### PARLIAMENTS WILL NEGOTIATE

All through the Conservative regime and during the term of the present government, western Liberals have contended that the wide discretion thus afforded the minister has been used to maintain the principle of protection in the Canadian tariff by back-door methods and to set aside the rates decreed by Parliament. So long as the discretionary power exists, it is contended, it will be possible for a high tariff government to pursue its policy without reference to Parliament, or vice-versa. There is no guarantee, that is to say, that Parliament's views on matters of tariff policy will prevail.

The proposal of the government at the approaching session will likely be one to transfer the judgment as to when unusual circumstances really prevail to either the tariff board or to the Exchequer Court. Both these

## Truce Follows Czech-Hungarian Border Fighting

Prague Report Says Eight-hour Battle Ended By Agreement

### Officers Captured

PRAGUE (AP)—Czechoslovak officials said tonight a Hungarian army officer was killed and several Czech gendarmes seriously wounded in an eight-hour battle between Hungarian and Czechoslovak forces near Munkacs.

According to the Prague version, the battle ceased at 4 p.m. (7 a.m., P.S.T.) after Czechoslovak and Hungarian officers who had rushed to the scene reached an agreement.

Officials here declared three regular Hungarian army officers were taken prisoner in Czechoslovak territory.

### HEAVY FIGHTING

BUDAPEST (AP)—Dispatches from the Hungarian-Czechoslovak border tonight said a truce had been arranged in the region of Munkacs, where the Hungarian government had reported heavy fighting and shelling of the city by Czechoslovak forces.

Government advisers, however, said conditions remained tense at Munkacs, frontier city in the territory recently ceded to Hungary by Czechoslovakia.

Hungarian reinforcements from many garrisons, including Budapest, already have left for various points along the border.

Premier Bela Imredy referred to "the treacherous attack on Munkacs" and warned Czechoslovakia to keep "hands off" Hungary.

Reports of the battle, involving artillery, tanks and armored cars, spread a wave of excitement throughout the nation.

High officials of the government met in continuous conference.

See other story on Page 2.

## SENATOR CASGRAIN DIES IN MONTREAL

Member of Old Quebec Family Sat in Upper House Since 1900

MONTREAL (CP)—Senator J. P. B. Casgrain, a chief follower of the late Sir Wilfrid Laurier, died here late today. He was for many years a senior member of the Senate, his appointment dating back to 1900. He was 82.

In his chosen profession of land surveyor he was one of the oldest members, having practiced since 1877 in Manitoba and Ontario as well as in Quebec.

He was a representative of the Canadian Senate at the coronation of George V in 1911, and was presented to him and to Queen Mary at Buckingham Palace.

Mr. Casgrain was a descendant of Jean Baptiste Casgrain, an officer of the French army who settled in Quebec about 1750.

Sensor Casgrain married Ella Cook, daughter of the late J. W. Cook, M.P. for Dundas, Ont. The Countess of Haddington are nieces of Mrs. Casgrain.

bodies are judicial and non-political and it is suggested that they could be relied upon to administer the discretionary section of the Customs Act—which is conceded to be highly important for the purposes of meeting deliberately unfair practices in international trading—in the spirit in which they were intended by Parliament when the act was drafted.

## McKesson U.S. Inquiry Widens

NEW YORK (AP)—Six prominent Connecticut residents, three of them described as Democratic politicians, have been subpoenaed for questioning in the federal investigation into the multiple phases of the McKesson and Robbins scandal. Irving B. Kaufman, assistant United States attorney, said today.

He withheld their names, but said the others, besides the politicians, were two lawyers and the son of a law enforcement officer. At the same time it was learned that several former Connecticut bootleggers already have been questioned by federal agents,



### TEST FOR BUNDSMAN

Herman Schwinn, a above, west coast leader of the German-American Bund, is facing proceedings to revoke his United States citizenship. President Roosevelt stated in Washington today the Justice Department had started an investigation of alleged violations of the criminal statutes by Nazis, Communists and certain organizations in the republic.

## San Francisco's Mayor Will Come

Rossi Announces Intention To Be in Town for Royal Visit in May

Special to The Times

SAN FRANCISCO — Mayor Rossi of San Francisco will go to Victoria, B.C., in May to be present during the two-day visit of King George and Queen Elizabeth in the British Columbia capital.

The mayor announced this today to Aldermen W. H. Davies and Lloyd Morgan of Victoria, who are here with the pipe band of the 16th Canadian Scottish Regt. returning from the New Year's Day parade in Pasadena and the Rose Bowl game. The Victoria party was feted also in Hollywood and Los Angeles.

In their two-day stay here besides their reception by Mayor Rossi at the San Francisco civic centre, they visited Treasure Island where the fair officials showed them that everything was nearly ready for the formal opening in February. At the British Columbia building they were received by Lloyd Craig, director of industrial and trade extension for B.C., who is in charge of the provincial exhibit. Details of the exhibit were explained to them by W. S. Currie, who is here from Victoria as design director. The Victorians praised the B.C. showing as "magnificent."

Everywhere great interest was shown in the royal visit to Victoria, with indications there will be an influx of Californians to the capital for the event.

The Victoria party is leaving San Francisco today and is due to arrive home Sunday afternoon.

## 2 Known Dead as U.S. Coast Counts Its Storm Losses

Damage at Numerous Points From Waves Raised By Pacific Gales

### School Pupils Saved

ASTORIA, Ore. (AP)—Two persons were known dead and three sailors missing today as the northern Pacific coast of the United States checked its losses from nearly a week of gales, high tides and smashing breakers.

Mrs. Martha McColey, 77, Puyallup, Wash., died in a hospital here from injuries suffered at Seaside yesterday when she was struck by a four-foot log rolled on the beach by a wave. Three other women who were watching the angry sea were injured.

Ships in the area 200 miles west of Cape Mendocino, northern California, watched for the bodies of three seamen believed to have been washed overboard from the German M. Anneliese Esberger by the high seas yesterday.

A comber carried Roy Suabert, 48, out to sea as he repaired a stairway at his water-damaged inn north of Florence, Ore. His partner, Gilbert Houghton, was washed from the shore but saved himself by clinging to the rocks.

### CHILDREN SAVED

Mrs. William Coats, Tillamook, drove over a swampy and perilous road to Bay Ocean to pick up children in the Bay Ocean school and their teacher, Mrs. Otta L. Biggs. She rushed them to safety while behind her giant seas crashed inland and isolated the beach community.

Along the Mendocino County coast in California great swells backed water far upstream, tossed logs and smaller driftwood and sand high up on the shore, temporarily blocking the 10-mile railroad northward from Port Bragg. Cabins were washed away at Caspar, Noyo and Ten Mile.

At San Francisco waves gnawed away long stretches of the ocean beach along the Great Highway. Part of the highway was closed to traffic as a precaution.

Rain in southern California ranged from 68 of an inch at Los Angeles to 1.65 inches at Glendale and an inch or more at Pasadena, Carpinteria and Altadena.

Clearing weather was forecast for most of California, with more rain likely in Oregon and Washington.

## To Plan Banquet Here for King

Monarch Expected To Give Public Address in Victoria

While Government House and provincial government sources still awaited official word today of the visit of the King and Queen to Victoria in May, further details of the arrangements for their tour from Ottawa gave rise to discussion of the reception to be given the royal couple in the city.

It is fairly certain a luncheon or dinner function, at which the King may speak, will be arranged here. Probably a joint committee of the government, Government House officials and the city will be formed to discuss the plans. This affair would probably be on Tuesday, May 30, the day after Their Majesties arrive, possibly in Government House ballroom or at the Empress Hotel.

In view of the announcement from Ottawa it is expected plans will be laid for Their Majesties to call at both the Legislative Buildings and the City Hall.

A decorated procession route between these two centres and Government House is suggested. This would provide vantage points for all crowds who wish to see the monarch.

Whether there will be time for other ceremonies during the visit is not certain. All plans made by local committees must be submitted to Ottawa for approval in London.

Victoria, as the provincial capital, will be the chief centre of British Columbia's reception to the royal visitors. At other points the limited time at the disposal of Their Majesties will not permit any large functions. It will be one of the few places in Canada where the King may attend a banquet and speak.

## PATTULLO, HART IN OTTAWA TALKS

Premier and Finance Minister Lay Proposals of B.C. Before Mr. King

OTTAWA (CP)—Premier T. D. Pattullo and Hon. John Hart, Minister of Finance of British Columbia, were here today to interview Prime Minister King on government aid for the west coast province this year.

The provincial Premier was noncommittal as to just what would be discussed with the Dominion Government.

It was believed probably Mr. Pattullo would seek further federal aid for construction of the proposed international highway from the United States border through British Columbia to Alaska as well as the Turgeon Highway as an outlet to the Peace River country and the Garibaldi Road. The Dominion has already appointed a commission to study the Alaska Highway project.

## Beats Stork After Exciting Victoria

U.S. Coastguard Plane Which Dropped Flare Was on Mercy Flight

A plane which dropped a flare over the Strait of Juan de Fuca on Wednesday morning did more than excite Victorians with a rumor of a plane crashing in flames. It won a spectacular race with the stork and with death over an aerial course between Roche Harbor, San Juan Island, and Bellingham, Wash.

A Victoria-born physician, Dr. John McGregor, son of Capt. and Mrs. George McGregor, 1032 Cloverdale Avenue, played one of the major roles in the race.

To add to the dramatic value of its merry flight, the machine lost its radio aerial in landing, in rough water off the narrow anchorage at Roche Harbor and was out of touch with land during the crucial stage of its dash.

The plane, a twin-engine United States coastguard amphibian, took off for Roche Harbor from Port Angeles shortly after 10 in answer to a call from a doctor who had discovered at the last moment that complications were endangering the life of an expectant mother and her unborn child.

On the way across the straits the pilot, Lieut. D. B. MacDiarmid, found that one of the flares carried by the machine was working loose. He released it for safety's sake, starting a chain of events which led to the provincial police's motor launch No. 14 dashing out in search of a plane crashing in flames.

The expectant mother, 21-year-old Mrs. Lillie Gaspo, was rushed on board the plane at Roche Harbor, Lieut. MacDiarmid immediately took off with his radio out of commission, and in the face of strong head winds, on the dash to Bellingham. There Dr. McGregor was waiting at the dock with an ambulance and a police escort to rush the young woman to a hospital, where her son was born within an hour of the landing.

## LINDBERGH REPORT ON REICH AIR FORCE

Stated Sent to U.S. Officials, But Not Yet in Roosevelt's Hands

WASHINGTON (AP)—Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh has given United States government officials a confidential report on Germany's air strength. It was learned authoritatively today.

Army officers declined to confirm receipt of the document, but it was assumed here Lindbergh submitted it voluntarily.

President Roosevelt said at his press conference today he had not received such a report from Lindbergh.

Earlier in the fall Lindbergh inspected air fields and equipment in Russia. Eleven Russian airmen afterward accused him in a statement of minimizing Soviet air strength and claimed the report influenced Prime Minister Chamberlain in negotiating the Munich pact.

The statement called Lindbergh "a stupid liar, a lackey and a flatterer of German fascists."

Lindbergh is a member of the U.S. National Advisory Committee on Aeronautics and still retains his commission in the U.S. army air corps reserve.

## Chamberlain Asks Duce Call Troops Home From Spain

Reported He Will Press Request on Jan. 11-14 Visit to Rome

### Support for France

LONDON (AP)—Prime Minister Chamberlain was understood to have told cabinet colleagues at a special meeting today he would ask Premier Mussolini to withdraw Italian troops from Spain and to improve French-Italian relations.

The meeting was attended by Viscount Halifax, Foreign Secretary, who has had talks during the last two days with the French and German ambassadors, and by Sir John Simon, Chancellor of the Exchequer, and Colonial Secretary Malcolm MacDonald.

Mr. Chamberlain was said to have explained that—at France's request—he would not attempt to mediate the French-Italian dispute over French Mediterranean possessions.

The Prime Minister will spend the weekend at Chequers and will return to London Monday. He will leave Tuesday for Italy for talks with Mussolini January 11-14.

It was generally believed Mr. Chamberlain would not consider granting belligerent rights to the Spanish insurgents or supporting Italian claims for part control of the Suez Canal.

It also was reported in some quarters the ministers this morning discussed the possibility of future economic pressure on Japan in retaliation for the discrimination against British interests in China. This matter has been under consideration by Foreign Office experts for some time, and there appeared to be hope of joint Anglo-American action.

## Japanese Claim China Towns Taken

Report Yellow River Gains While Chinese Advance Farther South

SHANGHAI (AP)—Japanese columns, fighting in severe cold in southwestern Shansi province, reported Friday they had occupied three towns on the east bank of the Yellow River after the Chinese had made a hasty retreat into Shensi province across the river.

Japanese artillery was said to have followed up with a heavy shelling of the new Chinese positions.

The towns reported captured were Wencheng, Kuhsien and Mafenzhen.

On the central China front, Chinese reported they had recaptured Sinkiang, east of Yochow, after four days of fighting. Yochow is 122 miles up the Yangtze River from Hankow.

The Chinese also reported they had killed 80 Japanese in a battle along the Sul River, 50 miles south of Kiukiang.

### Beaverbrook Gives Park

LONDON (CP)—Lord Beaverbrook, Canadian-born publisher, today made the nation a gift of 73 acres on Mickleham Downs, noted Surrey beauty spot near the Juniper Hill estate recently purchased by Rt. Hon. R. B. Bennett.

The land, presented to the National Trust, is to be used as a public park. It adjoins a section already held by the trust and contains scenic bridge and foot paths.

## Pound Sterling Rises in U.S.

NEW YORK (AP)—British currency swung sharply upward today in terms of the United States dollar as world money markets watched efforts of the British authorities to bolster the position of the pound sterling against an outgoing tide of funds from Europe.

The foreign exchange market, dominated for some time by a fall in the pound under pressure of a movement of capital from London to New York, was electrified by a report that £200,000,000 (equal to \$1,000,000,000) on the basis of a \$5 exchange rate for sterling had been transferred from the gold reserves of the Bank of England to bolster the British Equalization Fund.

Swinging erratically, the British exchange rate—down to around \$4.62 earlier in the week—

## \$50,000,000 For Canada Defence

## Daladier Ends Algiers Visit

Leaving for Home, He Warns Italy France Yields No Territory

ALGIERS (CP)—Premier Daladier sailed for home today after an implied warning to Italy that France will not yield to force or any other form of pressure to cede territory it holds.

The French premier, after receiving a triumphal welcome here and conferring with military leaders, spoke at a luncheon given in his honor.

In categorical terms he warned that when he had said previously France would maintain the integrity of its empire "I did not mean only that I would not yield an acre of the territory of this empire, but I wished to say that I will not be led astray by, juridical procedures which certain persons wished to invoke."

"I would like also to say that not only in the hours but in the days to come I will observe the same attitude regarding the ambitious pretensions and more-or-less underhand methods to which, it appears, they like to have recourse."

This was taken as a direct warning to Italy not to attempt to obtain the intervention of Prime Minister Chamberlain in the Franco-Italian dispute when the British leader visits Rome next week.

## Loyalists Take Strategic Town

Cordoba Drive to Offset Francoists' 'Big Push' Gains Momentum

With the Government Forces on the Estremadura Front, Spain, (CP) Havas — Spanish government troops, in a major offensive in Estremadura, today stormed and captured the strategically important town of Valsequillo, in northwestern Cordoba province.

They took the town at noon and pushed onward, in the second day of a push designed to relieve insurgent pressure in Catalonia.

Valsequillo is an important railway point on the line between insurgent-held Cordoba and Merida.

Government commanders said their troops overran other vital points in their northwesterly and southwesterly thrusts in the Valsequillo sector, about 40 miles southwest of the rich Almaden mercury mines.

In addition to the push in the Valsequillo sector, governments were striking successfully in the Mano de Hierro district, about 16 miles due north of Cordoba. As a result, the offensive threatened the entire insurgent line running through the central and western part of the province.

### Sit-down in Alberta

NAMAQ, Alta. (CP)—Refusing to leave the property without a court order, 13 miners at the Boomerang coal property at this town, 14 miles north of Edmonton, were in the second day of their sit-down strike today. The men remained last night in the bunkhouses and were supplied with food by a United Mine Workers of America official.

### Due to Intercede

### For Jews in Reich

LONDON (AP)—Premier Mussolini was reliably reported tonight to have acceded to a request from President Roosevelt and agreed to attempt to enlist Reichsfuehrer Hitler's aid in getting Jews out of Germany.

A well-informed source said United States Ambassador Wm. Phillips in Rome asked Mussolini on January 3 to support more lenient terms for the emigration of Jews from Germany.

It was understood the ambassador suggested to Il Duce a Jewish emigration plan attributed to Dr. Hjalmar Schacht, president of the Reichsbank, should undergo certain modifications, and Mussolini was sympathetic to Phillips' suggestions.

### Billboard Control

VANCOUVER (CP)—Control and supervision of billboard advertising, hot-dog stands and general sanitary conditions in existing establishments along British Columbia highways by the provincial government is urged by the Vancouver Automobile Club in a letter to government officials in Victoria.

## THE WEATHER

VICTORIA, 8 a.m. today—A storm appears to be approaching from the northwest. The weather remains cloudy and mild on the British Columbia coast, while over the interior it has become colder. Comparatively mild weather prevails in the prairie provinces.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.18; temperature, max. 44, min. 38; calm, cloudy. Vancouver—Barometer, 30.14; temperature, max. 44, min. 38; wind, 4 miles S.E.; precip. 51; cloudy. Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.78; temperature, max. 40, min. 30; wind, 18 miles S.E.; cloudy. San Francisco—Barometer, 30.06; temperature, max. 52; min. 40; wind, 8 miles N.; precip. 1.16; clear.

	Max.	Min.
Victoria	44	38
Nanaimo	46	36
Vancouver	46	36
New Westminster	45	35
Prince Rupert	40	30
Dawson	13	18
Edmonton	20	23
Calgary	20	23
San Francisco	52	40
Kamloops	36	26
Prince George	18	8
Kelowna	27	18
Poultice	40	24
Vernon	35	24
Grand Forks	34	24
Salmo	38	28
Salmon	38	28
Prince Albert	18	8
St. John	18	8
St. James	18	8
St. John's	20	10
Halifax	20	10







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### More Than Justice Needed, Queen Told

**THE HAGUE**—Long noted for its thoroughness, the Netherlands delved deep into the subject of justice today and decided that a court of law might still fall short of its maximum contribution to the country when it delivered a decision that was merely just.

This conviction was recorded in a letter received by Queen Wilhelmina in response to her recent appeal for moral and spiritual rearmament. Indicative of the close-knit family spirit of the Netherlands and of how wide-spread has been the response of the Queen's subjects, the letter was signed by 310 members of the Supreme Court, the Courts of Appeal, the district courts and the justices of peace—three-quarters of the Dutch magistrature.

"It is not enough, even if it were possible, to settle all disputes in a just manner," said the letter. "No legal award removes the moral causes within the parties themselves. Bitterness against the adversary lasts in the victor as well as in the vanquished. Only a change in the hearts of men can form the basis for a true solution in all difficulties. Nor does this apply only to those involved in lawsuits; for the picture presented in a court is not something separate, but merely the reflection of the moral conceptions of the whole nation."

"It is our official experience, therefore, which makes us rank ourselves behind Your Majesty, deeply convinced that moral and spiritual rearmament is an urgent necessity for our nation."

The letter dealt in detail with some of the aspects of legal administration, particularly those of domestic relations and divorce, and of traffic infractions with their heavy toll of life. Selfishness and lack of responsibility were constantly responsible for these tragedies and pointed to the absolute necessity of a national program "where honesty, confidence and love should govern the thinking and acting of every one."

### Four New Empire Scholarships Set Up

**LONDON (CP)**—The British Council, whose funds are derived from government subsidy and private subscription, announced yesterday it was offering annually four £300 (\$1,400) one-year post-graduate scholarships in the United Kingdom to selected graduates from Canada, Australia, New Zealand and South Africa.

Effective in October, the scholarships will be open to those conducting research in subjects of social, economic or political value, which may be regarded of Dominion, intra-Empire or international importance.

### Customs Act Revision Advanced

**OTTAWA (CP)**—One of Parliament's big jobs at the coming session probably will be the consolidation and revision of the Customs and Tariff Acts. Work on this has occupied a committee of revenue department officials for the past two years.

Amended many times since Confederation, the Customs Act has accumulated innumerable clauses which people whose business it is to deal with it regard as contradictory.

It is probable the government will introduce the revision early in the session and appoint a special committee of the Commons to hear representations.

So extensive is the task even if the bill is introduced this year, it may have to lie over for another session before being finally completed.

### Collections in Okanagan Rise

**KELOWNA, B.C. (CP)**—British Columbia government collections through this Okanagan city reached a record high in 1938. Sub-agent C. W. Dickson reports the 1938 total was \$89,248, compared with \$82,995 in 1937.

Motor car licenses issued in the last 10 months of 1938, were higher than the number for the entire year 1937. The total of 2,070 car licenses issued last year, compared with 2,067 the year before.

Building permits issued in the city, though below 1937 in value, showed a bigger proportion for construction of new homes than ever before. The total for the year was \$140,665, without any major construction. In 1937 the total was \$138,805, including the new post office.

Customs collections dropped from the 1937 figures. Total collections for 1938 were \$38,857, as against \$44,421 in 1937.

Registrations at the vital statistics office increased last year. In 1938 there were 280 births, 88 deaths and 56 marriages registered, compared with 221 births, 79 deaths and 83 marriages in the previous year.

### Churchill Offers Defence Suggestions

**LONDON (CP-Havas)**—Great Britain cannot afford to rely on measures of passive defence, but must be prepared to retort with maximum energy to any aggression, Winston Churchill wrote yesterday in the New Statesman, Independent.

To implement a more vigorous stand, he recommended instead of compulsory military duty a large increase in territorial troop strength, military service to be determined by drawing lots in democratic fashion. Any possibility of hiring, or otherwise obtaining, substitutes should be barred.

The veteran Conservative member of Parliament outlined a plan against war profiteering whereby no business would be allowed to be richer at the end of a conflict than at the beginning, except enterprises already beginning to expand at the outset of hostilities.

### CASH BASIS FOR ONTARIO ROADS

Royal Commission Says  
Pay-as-you-go System  
Best; Motor Tax Changes

**TORONTO (CP)**—The Royal Commission on Transport has recommended to the Ontario government the adoption of a pay-as-you-go policy in highway expenditure to eliminate in 40 years the province's estimated highway debt of \$212,691,010, one-third of the funded and unfunded debt of Ontario.

The commission's findings were released last night. Headed by Mr. Justice E. R. E. Chevrier, the board made numerous proposals designed to reduce the debt on highways, including a reclassification of taxes on motor vehicles and an increase in the tax on gasoline from six to nine cents a gallon. Other fuel oils used as fuel by motor vehicles would be taxed 13 cents a gallon.

With no interest on new debt to be paid under a pay-as-you-go plan the report estimates annual installments of \$11,558,300 would be needed to retire the present debt in 40 years. It would be necessary to obtain approximately \$9,000,000 more annual revenue than now collected.

The commission recommended the Department of Highways continue to assume complete control and responsibility for King's highways and provincial secondary roads.

### HEAVY VEHICLES

The commission was convinced cost of construction and maintenance of highways was increased by approximately 7 per cent by reason of the presence of vehicles heavier and wider than ordinary passenger cars and light trucks. It was suggested the heavier vehicles should be taxed accordingly.

Present license fees are based on the type and gross weight of vehicle, with higher fees required of those not equipped with pneumatic tires.

Following changes are recommended in vehicle license fees with the amounts based on gross weight:

Normal fee for both freight and passenger vehicles be increased from \$2 for a vehicle of 2,000 pounds gross weight to \$6 for a 4,000-pound vehicle; to \$18 for a 6,000-pound vehicle; to \$30 for a 10,000-pound vehicle; to \$290 for a 20,000-pound vehicle, and to \$450 for a 30,000-pound vehicle. Fees for trailers would be the same as for motor vehicles.

Vehicles with other than pneumatic tires and those propelled otherwise than by fuel subject to the gasoline tax would be required to pay additional amounts.

Private commercial motor vehicles of gross weight in excess of 5,000 pounds (transport vehicles) operated outside a zone extending 25 miles beyond the limits of their home municipality would be required to pay a fee of \$20 for each motor vehicle or trailer so registered.

From all commercial vehicles, whether they be motor vehicles or trailers, or used on the highway or for delivery, an annual registration fee of \$10 would be required, while for public vehicles the proposed fee is \$20.

### BOARD URGED

Among recommendations of the commission, relative to the transport industry, are a three-man board to deal with problems: Schedules of maximum hours and minimum wages for drivers; medical examinations for drivers; wider use of safety devices on trucks; annual statistical reports by operators, and establishment of tariff rates by the operators, to be subject to approval by the board.

As to the recommendation gallonage tax increase recommended, the commissioners declared: "It is not believed that an increase in the tax on motor fuel would produce any more adverse effect than a small and temporary diminution in the rate of increase in fuel consumption."

But W. G. Robertson, managing director of the Ontario Motor League, commented: "Such a tax would reduce drastically motor travel in the province, and would have a serious effect on the tourist trade." Lewis Duncan, K.C., counsel for the Automotive Transportation Association, thought such a tax might "tend to reduce travel, trade and business."

A. W. Roebuck, K.C., who acted as counsel for the automotive transport section of the Brotherhood of Railway Employees at the inquiry, declared the commission had attacked the problem of wages and hours "boldly" and had "given us some actual decision which the legislature can consider at its next session."

The commission's report contains 100,000 words.

Gravel ranges in size from a pea to a walnut; if it is larger it is called "shingle"; if smaller, it is "sand."

Any beaver that will not work is driven from the colony, and becomes an outcast.

### Youth Training Brings Many Jobs

**OTTAWA (CP)**—At least one-third of the youths taking employment training courses sponsored by the Dominion and provincial governments were placed in jobs up to last September according to R. F. Thompson, youth training program director.

In many instances jobs were assured when a youth began an industrial apprenticeship or learner's course. Others were placed in class courses which offered only a prospect of placement.

In addition to those placed directly by the provincial program administrators, there were also unrecorded numbers who obtained jobs on their own account after completing the regular course, Mr. Thompson said.

In the first year of the program, ended last March 31, almost half the "trainees" were enrolled in rural classes, where they received instruction designed to increase their farm income directly. Of the 55,457 total, 26,000 were from farms. Another 9,000 were enrolled in physical training and recreational classes. Then about 7,000 dropped out before completing their courses.

### Bren Gun Report Out January 13

**OTTAWA (CP)**—Report of Mr. Justice H. H. Davies of the Supreme Court of Canada on the Bren machine gun contract inquiry will be tabled in the House of Commons January 13, and will be made public then, according to an announcement by Prime Minister King.

The report had been in his hands since last week, the Prime Minister said last night. Questioned regarding a dispatch published in Toronto that the report exonerated responsible ministers and found the contract to be in the public interest, Mr. King refused to comment.

"The report has not been seen by anybody but myself and one of my secretaries," he said.

Release of the report for publication will be coincident with its being placed on the table of the House of Commons soon after the House meets next Friday afternoon. Until then there will be no official public knowledge of its contents, the Prime Minister said.

Mr. Justice Davis was appointed a commission of one to examine the contract after its negotiation and terms had been criticized in a magazine article written by Lieut. Col. George A. Drew, K.C., now Ontario Conservative leader.

### 'EL' COMING DOWN

**NEW YORK**—After 60 years, the 6th Avenue "El" is coming down. The wreckers will raze the structure shortly. And sunlight, after six dark decades, will warm the dim street again. Even sentimental mourners of the "El" passing admit the advantages of its demise.

For the 6th Avenue "El" has been a blot upon a main artery of Manhattan. Flanked by Broadway and swanky 5th Avenue, 6th Avenue has borne the brunt. A sunless street, an ugly scar of steel, incessant grating on metal, not conducive to free-pedestrians. Not to improvement of property. So the rent's came down to rock bottom and nondescript merchants moved in and an impoverished avenue was the result.

Then, added to 6th Avenue's temporary woes was the building of a new subway. Now, subway construction, in its preliminary stages, is no delicate sight. The scene is as devastating as a major battle at zero hour and 6th Avenue looked like No Man's Land when excavation and blasting were in progress. To approach Radio City across 6th Avenue a few months ago meant sinking by a dynamite nest where steel-helmeted men were fusing in for an explosion below.

Not the happiest property owners along 6th Avenue were the Rockefeller, who had the 6th Avenue "El" for a facade to Radio City and a gaping subway labyrinth for a parking tunnel. But that far-sighted Croesus family anticipated the beautification of 6th Avenue. They knew that Radio City one day would be the show place of a spacious and unobstructed thoroughfare and the sub-terminus of an ultra-modern underground railroad.

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### Wheat Conference

**LONDON (AP)**—What to do about drastic cuts in the price of wheat, caused by successive bumper crops for a number of years, will be discussed by representatives of the world's principal wheat nations at the International Wheat Conference opening here next Tuesday.

The conference was called at the request of the United States, Great Britain, France and Australia. Twenty-one nations, including Canada, will be represented.

(A dispatch from Buenos Aires said Argentina, grower of one-tenth of the world wheat crop, would attend the conference despite past reluctance to enter agreements fixing minimum prices or establishing export quotas).

### Hepburn and Party Voyage to Australia

**SAN FRANCISCO (CP)**—Premier Mitchell Hepburn of Ontario and his party were at sea today, bound for Australia. They sailed from here yesterday aboard the Matson liner Mariposa.

The Premier said the party would study the economic set-up in Australia because "Australia has done the finest and most comprehensive job of solving her own economic and sociological problems. There may be something there applicable to our own problems."

Included in the party were Ontario Public Works Minister Colin A. Campbell; Deputy Provincial Treasurer Chester Walters; Roy Elmhurst, the Premier's secretary; E. G. Odette, chief of the Ontario liquor control commission, and John Mansfield, Ontario businessman.

### Nazis Lose Secrets

**LONDON (CP-Havas)**—The Daily Herald, Labor, yesterday reported German officials had "destroyed" many secret records and files of the Nazi Party, and the government as a result of a mysterious leak.

Henrich Himmler, chief of all German police, has failed to trace the source of the alleged leak despite an intensive search during the past few months, a "special correspondent" of the newspaper wrote.

### Evacuation Plans

**LONDON (CP-Havas)**—The government last night published a plan for evacuating the civilian population of British cities in case of war, which in several respects constitutes a departure from systems previously outlined.

The new plan presupposes the majority of city dwellers will be kept at home by their duties. Consequently the prime object is evacuation of children.

For children of school age, the most numerous group, the idea of setting up camps in which large numbers could be settled has been abandoned as difficult to put into operation.

### Delay in Trial

**VANCOUVER (CP)**—Preliminary hearing of George Wallace, Chilliwack Indian, charged with murdering Mrs. Marie Sam and attempting to murder three other persons December 1 was adjourned yesterday until next Wednesday.

Adjournment was made at the request of Norman Levin, defence counsel, who said he had been notified by the Department of Indian Affairs only 10 minutes before the hearing that he was to defend Wallace.

### New Identification For Cancer Tested

**MONTREAL (CP)**—Identification of cancer in 80 per cent of cases by means of blood cultures is announced by Dr. O. C. Gruner, McGill University research worker, in an article in the Canadian Medical Association Journal. The article presents results of several years of work.

The procedure outlined by Dr. Gruner calls for drawing of a small quantity of blood, its culturing by a definite formula and then examination under the microscope. Such a method would replace the generally used pathological or X-ray examinations, both of which involve discomfort for the patient.

Of a series of 152 cases involving known malignant growths, Dr. Gruner said he obtained positive identification in 123 cases, doubtful results in 12 and negative results in the remaining 17.

### Predictions for 1939

**WILLIAMS LAKE, B.C. (CP)**—Old Alice Billy, who claims to be 107 years old, came out of her stoical Indian seclusion long enough yesterday to make dire predictions for 1939.

Two famous men will die this year, she said. Nations will gather and smoke the pipe of peace, but there will be treachery in their hearts. Canada will be honored by a visit from "the great white father."

The aged Indian woman, who says she has never had a day of sickness, has a great liking for strong tobacco. She ended her 1939 predictions with an offer to reveal the date of the end of the world for a plug of tobacco.

### WARNING TO MOTORISTS

**VANCOUVER (CP)**—A black flag bearing a skull and crossbones and a number will soon be a grim reminder to motorists from the flagstaff of a city garage here.

The Vancouver Automobile Club decided on the plan to remind motorists to be careful in 1939. The number on the flag will correspond to the number of persons killed in traffic crashes.

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## Mr. Mayhew's Docks Plan

ONE OF THE MATTERS OF VITAL IMPORTANCE to the progress of Victoria which Mr. R. W. Mayhew, M.P., intends to take up with the government at Ottawa is a reorganization scheme for the ocean docks and the development of the adjacent area in James Bay. The federal member's plan includes the following proposals:

1. Purchase of the Rithet piers.
2. Consolidation of the Rithet piers and Canadian National docks at Ogden Point.
3. Construction of spur tracks direct from the combined ocean terminals to the immediate James Bay area to provide truckage and export facilities for new industries.

The area in question is a disgrace to a community which aspires to become a greater factor in the maritime business of the Pacific Coast. It has for long been obvious that the Rithet Piers are uncomfortable and uninviting in themselves and leave anything but a favorable impression with those who use them. Nor can their private operation be longer economically justified in view of their competition with the nearby government docks. Mr. Mayhew's contention, therefore, is that they be acquired and consolidated, modernized in such particulars as the port's requirements warrant, and that all the potential joint accommodation be made available to both the Canadian National and Canadian Pacific transportation systems.

The government docks are adequately served with railway truckage, while a thoroughly modern ferry slip handles lumber, wheat and other products delivered here by car-barge from Vancouver Island and mainland points. This system, Mr. Mayhew argues, could easily be extended to include the Rithet Piers and at comparatively little cost. Already the sea approach to the outer harbor has been greatly improved by dredging operations and by the widening and deepening of the turning basin for ocean steamships—a project recently effected by the federal government through representations made by the local member.

As an industrialist of many years' experience, Mr. Mayhew sees in the James Bay district important possibilities for the establishment of new manufacturing enterprises, particularly in the vicinity of the Macdonald estate across the Dallas Road from Ogden Point. And, in view of Victoria's present commercial requirements, the new activity which it should stimulate, the scheme which Mr. Mayhew intends to discuss with the authorities at Ottawa appears economically sound and should, without undue delay, win the approval of the Dominion Government.

## "Asking" Mussolini

AT A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE British cabinet today it is understood Prime Minister Chamberlain told his colleagues he would ask Premier Mussolini to withdraw Italian troops from Spain and improve Italy's relations with France. It is also believed that Mr. Chamberlain will not consider granting belligerent rights to the Spanish insurgents of General Franco or give any hope to Il Duce of British support to Italian claims for partial control of the Suez Canal.

One of the conditions of the operation of the Anglo-Italian friendship pact was Italy's progressive withdrawal of Italian troops from Spain. Premier Mussolini withdrew 10,000 tired veterans, obtained promulgation of the pact, and then immediately embarked fresh and better-equipped troops to take their places. Both Italian and German expert mechanics, of course, are still fighting might and main behind the lines to insure Franco's success. Mr. Chamberlain will have to do more than "ask" Mussolini to drop Italy's part in the Spanish civil war.

Any suggestion the British Prime Minister may make to Il Duce on the subject of improving French-Italian relations may be marked down as another "victory" for "appeasement." For Signor Mussolini knows by this time that France wants no interference from Great Britain—at least, not in the shape of mediation—in any dispute with Rome about her colonial empire. The initial cry for Tunisia in the Italian Chamber of Deputies marked the beginning of a priceless piece of Italian bungling. The ill-timed propaganda which has followed must have made even Reichsfuehrer Hitler groan.

## The Closed "Open Door"

FOR SOME TIME IT HAS BEEN EVIDENT that Japan's disregard of foreign interests in China has caused deep dissatisfaction and annoyance in many, besides official, quarters in Britain and in the United States. President Roosevelt's allusions to the totalitarian states in the message to Congress on Wednesday, followed closely by the ministerial reorganization in Japan, serve to accentuate the points of conflict between the two English-speaking democracies and the aggressive despotic Oriental nation.

It should be noted that British investments in China represent approximately 37 per cent of all the foreign money at work in that country. But the "open door" policy now has been practically repudiated by Japan and many of the undertakings in which money was invested by outsiders

have been destroyed by the Japanese in the operations of the still undeclared war.

Credit facilities for China from Great Britain and the United States, of course, indicate a stiffening attitude on the part of both countries. Nor is it any secret that before the "China incident" the relations between the neighboring republic and Nippon were anything but cordial. The loan to the government of Chiang Kai-shek naturally will be interpreted by the Tokio authorities as evidence of Washington's determination—as President Roosevelt has just told Congress—to combat every form of aggression in defence of international decency.

Prime Minister Chamberlain already has said that Great Britain will do everything possible to defend her rights in China. What she may be called upon to do is on the knees of the gods. The record to date furnishes no indication of what new course might yet be pursued under the policy of "appeasement." Perhaps the meeting between the heads of the British and Italian governments in Rome next week may show whether the international wind is really changing or not.

## Friday the 13th

ONE WEEK FROM TODAY HAS BEEN selected as the date on which Mayor Telford will meet the Vancouver police commission in formal conclave and order a drive on bootleggers, brothels and "bookies." That will be Friday the 13th.

We are told that the newly elected mayor has a complete list of all establishments operating in Vancouver in defiance of the law, that there are more than 125 known bootlegging establishments, and that the latter business "has got to go."

Dr. Telford has announced that he intends to see that the law is enforced and expects every other member of the commission to be in accord with his wishes and intentions. He is approaching his task, moreover, with information which has led him to state emphatically that in some respects Vancouver "at present is wider open than it has been for some time."

At intervals during the last 20 years new mayors and new police chiefs have viewed with considerable alarm vice conditions in Vancouver. The public has been told on numerous occasions that the whereabouts of illegal establishments were known to the police, that, figuratively speaking, the culprits could be "brought in" at any time—and many undoubtedly have paid dearly for their nefarious business.

Supporters of good government or objectors to flagrant defiance of the law will wish Mayor Telford well in the campaign he proposes to launch on Friday the 13th. If any of Vancouver's bootleggers, "bookies," or keepers of disorderly houses are the least suspicious, however, we can imagine them running for cover at once.

It is not for us in Victoria, of course, to suggest that if Vancouver's mayor knows of 125 operative bootleggers, it might have been better policy to have gathered them in without giving them the week's notice, which appeared prominently on the front pages of Vancouver's newspapers yesterday.

Fashion note: No spats this season. Berlin papers please copy.

Prof. Harold Laski, the economist of London University who is coming to this coast to lecture at the University of Washington in the near future, is credited with reciting verse about Mr. Chamberlain: "If at first you don't concede—fly, fly, fly again."

Announcement of the selection of 32 students from United States universities as Rhodes Scholars recalls that the beneficence of the great British imperialist was not confined to the British Empire. The London Free Press reminds us that until the Great War German students also came within the scope of the Rhodes Foundation.

With roughly 37.1 million instruments in use, the world is currently using a record number of telephones. The present figure represents a rise of 5 per cent over the previous peak reached in 1931. With only 6 per cent of the world's population, the United States accounts for 19.5 million of the instruments—more than half the world total. In that country alone, around 27 billion local and long distance calls were completed last year. That means nearly 850 conversations every second, twenty-four hours a day.

## BALANCE TO THE GOOD

From Winnipeg Free Press  
The Canadian balance of international payments for 1937—the balance of all our accounts with the rest of the world—was on the right side to the satisfactory amount of \$218,000,000, as shown by a report of the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. This was used for the redemption of Canadian securities held abroad and for new investments made outside Canada.

Our trade exports exceeded imports by \$213,000,000. Gold was exported to the value of \$145,000,000, while the favorable balance of tourist trade was \$170,000,000. On the other hand, we paid to other countries, in interest and dividends on money loaned or invested in Canada, \$246,000,000 more than Canadians received on investments abroad.

Our people, by the way, have invested heavily abroad and they received last year on this account no less than \$78,000,000. And they purchased more securities of other countries in 1937 than the people of other countries purchased of Canadian securities, the totals being \$311,400,000 and \$306,000,000, respectively. We sold \$105,000,000 worth of securities to Great Britain and purchased \$85,000,000 from them. To the United States we sold \$376,000,000 but we purchased \$412,000,000 worth. To all other countries we sold \$24,500,000 worth of securities and we bought \$13,100,000.

In the previous four years, Canada had sold more securities abroad than our people had purchased from other countries. The change last year and the larger investments of Canadians abroad coincided with a notable increase in dividends paid by Canadian companies in the same year.

## As I See It

By ELMORE PHILPOTT

### THE APOSTLE OF ALFALFA

LOUIS LEBOURDAIS, who represents the Cariboo in the Provincial Legislature, is my idea of a natural born press agent. He was looking around this year for something to do to improve the lot of his constituents. It seems that they grow a lot of alfalfa in the Cariboo, and by a strange coincidence it turns out that while all alfalfa has nearly-miraculous properties, the Cariboo variety is the best of any yet discovered by Mr. Lebourdais. Now dozens of items about alfalfa are appearing in the papers from coast to coast. People are discovering that alfalfa is an excellent food for man as well as for beast. If cooked properly it is as tasty as spinach. And if any cynical youngster remarks that would not be surprising, there are a dozen different ways in which human beings may be induced to consume this legume with inestimable benefit to themselves; not to mention the advantage to the growers. As a meal it can be mixed with cereal. It can be spread with bread and butter and anything else in sandwiches. It tastes as mild and pleasing as fresh-cured hay smells. And what is all important, it is full of a vital element known as bios—something akin to a vitamin.

Down in Arizona they claim to have effected cures for arthritis by giving the sufferers large doses of alfalfa tea or alfalfa meal. The doctors are experimenting with it now, but not enough work has been done to say whether or not it will be as effective as the enthusiasts hope.

Probably if our great grandfathers could return to life, one of the things which would surprise them most would be the disappearance of diseases which plagued a large section of the people in earlier times. I was reading the life of the famous Captain Cook the other day. He explored all these shores around my home not so very long ago. But Cook's greatest achievement was not in his discoveries of new territory. It was in his leadership in wiping out what had always been a hideous disease, namely the scurvy. It seems appalling to us now that for hundreds of years men suffered and died from that loathsome trouble all because they had not made the simple discovery that the juices of oranges and lemons and so forth would prevent it.

There are three great plagues which still baffle humanity—cancer, tuberculosis and arthritis or rheumatism. Against one of these, physicians have discovered effective counter measures, even if as yet no one has discovered a specific cure. But cancer and rheumatism still remain in the great unsolved puzzle category. Perhaps when they are tracked to their dens the weapons to kill them will be discovered to be something very simple. In these regards the intelligent man or woman on the farm or in the small city is just as likely to make an important discovery as the research specialist.

### NO MORE MORI JIO

INCIDENTAL INTELLIGENCE by way of Tokio informs us that the Japanese government has banned the ancient custom of placing tiny piles of salt in front of business places to ward off bad luck and woo customers.

The salt charm was known as "mori jio" or "devil chaser" and its abolition is reported to have wrought consternation among Tokio shopkeepers.

The "no more mori jio" decree is a wartime measure, the idea being, it is said, to place the salt thus saved on Chiang Kai-shek's tail feathers and capture him.

### CHALLENGE TO TEACHERS

IF THIS BE TREASON make the most of it, ladies. Mrs. Evelyn Millis Duval, director of Chicago's Association for Child Study and Parent Education, speaks up against what she calls "feminine dominance" in the classroom.

Coming from one of the sex, Mrs. Duval's complaint that women teachers are helping to produce "sissies" among boys and dictatorial or weak-kneed husbands, cannot be charged up to masculine economic rivalry or jealousy.

Mrs. Duval's plea for more men teachers is feminism with a brand-new twist.

### GEMS FROM LIFE'S SCRAPBOOK

#### VICTORY

"A victory there must be one way or the other. Either we must overcome the world, or the world will overcome us."—C. J. Perry.

"I rejoice with you in the victory of right over wrong, of truth over error."—Mary Baker Eddy.

"The famous battles of the world Resound in loudest tone. But hardest battles to be fought Each man must fight alone."—R. Hobson.

"Our greatest glory is not in never falling, but in rising every time we fall."—Confucius.

"We must tramp upon our failings when principle is at stake."—S. J. Wilson.

#### GONE AWAY

White gulls flying, swift and free. Sweeping o'er the bay. Cry your mournful cry for me. Love has gone away.

Grey waves dashing inward urge. Whitecaps as you play. Sing for me a lonely dirge. Love has gone away.

West winds keening through the trees. Storm clouds cold and grey. Wait your winter harmonies. Love has gone away.

Vagrant sunbeam, shining through. Smile on me, I pray: Tell me, give me hope anew— Love comes back some day.

JOHN LASKIER.

## Since the Armistice

TWENTY Years' Armistice: 1918-1938 by William Aylatt Orton is now at the Victoria Public Library. On the 20th anniversary of that day when the guns ceased their firing, a war-shocked world took stock. The treaty that was to have brought peace is torn to shreds. The League that was to have maintained justice among the nations hovers, an unreal ghost, over the war councils of power politicians. Nations, not already engaged in war muster their millions of young men, mass their armaments, float their mighty navies. And September, 1938, stands out as the month when the world peered over the very brink of the war abyss so that it seemed impossible that it should draw back.

What has brought us to this pass? Why did the "war to end war" merely prepare us for a new and more terrible war? What hope is there that a lasting peace may be built? These are questions that Prof. Orton faces with great frankness. From one point of view, "Twenty Years' Armistice" is a survey of the events that have determined the course of world history from 1918 to 1938. It describes the aims—real and alleged—of the peacemakers, the consequences of the economic, political and territorial terms of the Treaty of Versailles, the minority problems, the various attempts at international stabilization and why they failed, the rise of the dictators and the return to power politics. But from another point of view the book is a study in close focus of the tremendous news events of the past year and especially the last months—of Ethiopia and Spain and Austria, of the Rome-Berlin axis and the Franco-Soviet pact, of the foreign policy of the Chamberlain government, of Czechoslovakia.

William Orton is professor of economics at Smith College. He has long enjoyed an outstanding reputation as a student of international affairs. He has written "Twenty Years' Armistice" at a time when a careful up-to-the-minute analysis of today's events and their backgrounds will find a ready public. The book points to the future when a new and just international order may be built. Its purpose is "to survey these ghastly decades from the depths of our economic distress, in search of better wisdom."

### MR. BULLY'S RESTORATION OF "THE MESSIAH"

To the Editor:—Surely music and religion are one and the same thing under two names, and therefore after reading "G. J. D." on "The Music of the Bells," the only criticism is the question, why did he not, after that lovely image, "Ring out the false, ring in the true," finish his quotation in the only way that poem can possibly come to its climax, with the words "Ring in the Christ that is to be"? That is a holy thought, and I would like it set to a quick-moving tempo, quite as fast as "The Messiah" was recently performed. To the many letters on which burning topic I would like to add just these words: "Thank God" (and incidentally Mr. Stanley Bulley) for throwing new light on old scores, and thus showing them to us in their living beauty. "Their loveliness increases, it shall never pass into nothingness." The world moves, and we must move with it, not only revolve but evolve. Real music is movement, it can never be merely static, it must be dynamic, kinetic.

Christianity and music are things of gladness. They do dip into the valley of the shadow, but thence they leap to the mountain top, and up with that cloud-piercing peak that seems to peer into those heavenly mysteries where the morning stars sing together for joy. Funeral crepe is out of fashion, in spiritual as well as material dress. I don't want to go back to the days when Her late Majesty Queen Victoria wore weeds for her German Consort, nor yet to those later days when some of you critics sang Handel's great choruses in the Albert Hall. Let us keep climbing, even if we have to draw new lines above the staff. "Extension ladders, Firemen!" As for tempo, none of the sopranos who sang "The Hallelujah" are reported to be suffering from lock-jaw.

F. W. L. MOORE.  
(Lt.-Col.) (Retired).

2349 Quadra Street, Victoria, New Year's Day, 1939.

### ASKS TO KNOW

To the Editor:—Could you, or any of your readers, give me a just answer to this horrible question: Why do we still export materials to Japan that help her to pursue what The Times, London, alluded to as "probably the most meritorious war in history?"

I can't think the public of this country would stand for it if another day if they realized how terrible it really is.

Surely it is a matter to be taken up by every man and woman lucky enough to call themselves Canadian. Could you forget the Munich agreement long enough to give this your consideration?

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### WHERE IS "WOGGIE"?

To the Editor:—I hope you will allow me a last appeal for our lost and perhaps fatally wounded Aberdeen Terrier. We feel sure it was our dog that was hit by a car last Sunday at 5.30 p.m. at the corner of St. David Street and Oak Bay Avenue. The driver of the car that hit the dog reported that at the time of the accident a lady was passing by and stopped and exclaimed, "Oh, that's Danny!" I know where he lives, and picked the dog up. Not being there at the time of the accident I know only what is reported, but since then have had no word of the poor dog or kindly rescuer.

We have notified the Oak Bay police, appealed to the S.P.C.A. and inquired of every veterinary surgeon in town and advertised twice in your paper. We are very anxious to know about our pet, which we have had for eight years, so would the kind lady please notify us if she is dead or badly hurt?

The Scottie answers to the name of "Woggie," and guarded and idolized our two small girls. We feel sure her rescuer was kind and did her best for our pet but feel very unhappy not knowing her fate.

MRS. MARY COOPER.  
1144 Goodwin Street, G 781.

### Paraliet Thoughts

For when he dieth he shall carry nothing away; his glory shall not descend after him.—Psalms 49:17.

Men fear death, as if unquestionably the greatest evil, and yet no man knows that it may not be the greatest good.—W. Mitford.

### SUPREME TEST

From Hamilton Spectator  
Machine for charting brain waves has been developed in Toronto. It will need to be tough to stand proximity to Queen's Park.

### Better English

1. What is wrong with this sentence? "Either of the three boxes will be satisfactory."
2. What is the correct pronunciation of "asinine"?
3. Which one of these words is misspelled? Flexible, flegmatic, filigations.
4. What does the word "lines ment" mean?
5. What is a word beginning with ci that means "shrouded in gloom or darkness"?

Answers

1. Say, "Any of the three" or "Either of the two."
2. Pronounce as-i-nin, as in at, first i as in it, second i as in nine, accent first syllable.
3. Phlegmatic.
4. Outline, feature, or contour, especially of the face. "The lineaments of the race are easily distinguished."
5. Cimierian.

In hair we have had as great a revolution as in politics.—M. Antoine, famous hair stylist.



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LIMITED**
**Misses' Dresses**

 Patterned Prints  
Regular \$7.95, for  
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 Smartly tailored  
Dresses in misses' sizes.  
Large patterns, zipper  
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 Extraordinary Values in  
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Coats of smart winter materials cut on fitted or straight lines and trimmed with such quality furs as sable, wolf, muskrat, lynx and red fox. Fully lined and interlined and shown in colors of black, navy, brown, green and wine. Styles for both misses and matrons. Collective sizes from 14 to 46½.

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 Turbans, Boat Shapes, Pill Boxes, etc., formerly priced up to \$6.95.  
On Sale at \$3.00, \$2.00 and \$1.00

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 One-third down — balance  
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## SPECIAL SALE VALUES SATURDAY

**ROAST  
CHICKEN  
LUNCHEON**
**40c**

 Saturday  
11.30 to 2.30

 —Dining-room,  
Third Floor

## JANUARY SALE OFFERINGS IN STAPLES

Every One a Major Value

 12 only, **WOOL-FILLED COMFORTERS** — Very attractively covered with reversible art silk; also a few covered with blue satin. Priced to clear at. **\$3.98**
**FEATHERDOWN COMFORTERS** — Well filled and covered with floral cambric. Made very attractive with plain contrasting panels. Former price \$7.95. Marked to clear at. **\$5.98**
**GREY WOOL BLANKETS** of a wear resisting weave. Size 60x80 inches. Marked to clear, a pair. **\$5.79**
**GREY FLANNELETTE SHEETS** with colored borders; sub-standards. Size 54x80 inches, pair. **\$2.29**
**FEATHER PILLOWS** covered with plain grey ticking. Each. **89c**
**BLEACHED COTTON SHEETS** with colored, hemstitched ends. Double bed size, 80x90 inches. Each. **\$1.69**
**BLEACHED COTTON PILLOW CASES** to match sheets. Special, a pair. **69c**

 18 only, **ART SILK BEDSPREADS** with fringed ends. Blue or rose. Sizes 80x92 inches. Each. **98c**

 25 only, **PLAIN SILK BEDSPREADS** with fringed sides. Mauve, gold or green. Sizes 78x100 inches. Each. **\$1.89**

 500 Yards of Striped Flannelette  
**3½ yards 50c**

Flannelette in a good assortment of colors, medium weight, 28 inches wide.

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 36-inch Flannelette  
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Flannelette in floral and nursery rhyme designs. Suitable for children's wear.

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## January Clearance of WOOL DRESS GOODS AND COATINGS

 Mill Ends of Tweeds  
54-inch.  
Special, Yard. **\$1.29**

A clear-up line from a manufacturer's stock of woolsens. The assortment offers a choice of colors and patterns. Materials suitable for

**JACKETS, SKIRTS,  
SLACKS, ETC.**

Mostly smooth, firm weaves; medium weight. All greatly reduced.

**WOOL COATINGS**  
Big January Sale  
Values, Yard. **\$1.95**

Materials that are usually sold at \$2.75 and \$2.95 a yard. This group includes fancy broken check patterns and plain shades of brown, navy and black. Suitable for coats and suits 5X inches wide.

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**SUPERFINE BLACK TWILL** — A very firm British serge of the best dye. Ideal for light suits, skirts or dresses. Regular \$3.50 a yard, for. **\$2.00**
**SWANSDOWN WOOL COATINGS** — A camel cloth weave, soft and thick. For coats, cloaks, capes and dressing gowns. Navy, brown and black. Regular \$3.98 a yard, for. **\$2.79**

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## CHILDREN'S DRESSES

TWO REMARKABLE VALUES SATURDAY

**ENGLISH WOLSEY KNIT DRESSES AND TWO-PIECE SUITS** — Styled with short and long sleeves and collar or crew neck. Plain colors of green, blue, navy, brown and grey. Also smart color combinations. Broken sizes from 4 to 14X. Formerly priced to \$6.75. On sale, Saturday at. **\$2.50**
**JUNIOR MISSES' SILK CREPE DRESSES** with short and long sleeves, and all round belt. Colors of navy, wine, green and black. Sizes 13, 15 and 17. Regular price \$2.98. On sale Saturday at. **\$1.98**

—Children's Wear, First Floor

## BARGAINS FOR BABY

**WHITE FLANNELETTE DIAPERS** — Sanitary wrapped. Size 27x27 inches. On sale at, a dozen. **\$1.49**  
Size 31x31 inches. On sale at, a dozen. **\$1.98**
**CRIB PILLOWS** filled with purified kapok. White only. On sale at, each. **29c**
**MADEIRA CRIB PILLOW SLIPS** — Hand embroidered and in a choice of pretty patterns. On sale at, each. **39c**

—Babywear, First Floor



## CANDY SPECIALS SATURDAY ONLY

**ENGLISH LICORICE CHOCOLATE PEPPER ALLSORTS,** a lb. **15c** **MINT PATTIES,** a lb. **25c**

—Candy, Lower Main Floor

## FINE FOOTWEAR

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**HIGH-STYLE SHOES** — Mostly \$8.00 Values for **\$5.00**

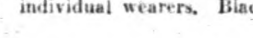
In this group are fine sueded and kid leathers, featured in fashionable pumps, gores, ties, black, brown, blue, etc.



## FASHION SHOES

 Formerly \$5.00, \$6.00 and \$6.50.  
Priced for January Sale at **\$3.95**

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All superior-grade Shoes, regularly priced at \$8.00, \$8.50 and \$10.00


**OXFORDS, PUMPS, STRAPS** by Empress, Archgrip and Tarsalease. Fine kid leathers; black, brown and blue. A pair. **\$5.00**
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—Shoes, First Floor

## MEN'S GLOVES

AT SALE PRICES

**SCOTCH KNIT WOOL GLOVES** in grey and heather shades, leather bound, and with dome fasteners. All sizes; unlined. Regular 75c values, pair. **59c**
**THE SAME GLOVES**, fleece lined all through. Regular \$1.00, pair. **79c**
**MEN'S CAPEKIN GLOVES** with dome fasteners. Black or tan; all sizes. Regular \$1.95 value, pair. **\$1.75**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

## MEN'S SOCKS

January Sale Specials

**IMPORTED OR CANADIAN-MADE SOCKS** of fine all wool; fancy and plain. A large assortment of colors and patterns; reinforced heels and toes — all perfect. Regular price 75c a pair, for. **55c**

 2 pairs **\$1.00**
**IMPORTED BOTANY WOOL SOCKS** — Extra fine grade, three fold heel and toe, narrow rib or fancy patterns. A variety of colors. All perfect. Regular values \$1.00, for. **65c**

 2 pairs **\$1.25**


—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

## IT'S SAVING TIME FOR YOU IN THE MEN'S SHOE SHOP

**SMART OXFORDS** from our regular \$5.00 lines, now **\$3.95**

Shoes from which you may choose are black and brown calfskin, and the well-known "Repeater" Shoes in a range of styles and shapes. Best sellers, but sizes broken.

**MEN'S SHOES** — Including lines from Invictus and Albion stocks. Scotch grain and calf oxfords and brogues. Black or brown. A big value group at, pair. **\$5.00**

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## Two Special Values in the Stationery Department

**CORRESPONDENCE CARDS** in delicate shades with matching envelopes. On sale at, box. **25c**
**ROMNEY WRITING PAD** containing 40 sheets of laid finish, high-grade paper, and with one packet of self-seal envelopes. to match. On sale at. **25c**

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## DOUBLE BOILERS 99c

Regular \$1.58 Values, for

The Boilers are of heavy aluminum and 2-quart capacity — catalin trim in green or red.

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 Books of Many Kinds. Priced at **49c and 98c**

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## Ceylonflan Shirts \$1.95 FOR MEN

Shirts with collar attached or plain neckband and button cuffs; English made. A soft-finish material with fancy stripes on a light ground. A Shirt longer than usual; all sizes.

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## Men's Reefer Scarfs and Mufflers

 Regular \$1.50, for. **\$1.00**

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**SPECIAL TODAY**  
3 only, Roger 1847 38-piece service  
for six. Complete with chest. This  
set has six extra teaspoons and six  
extra salad forks. Regular \$45.00.  
Terms arranged. **\$29.75**  
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## Dies Shortly, After 100th Birthday

**CALGARY (CP)**—Mrs. Eleanor Kerr, who was 100 years old December 26, died suddenly here yesterday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. C. Jeffery. Mrs. Kerr lived in Meaford, Ont., until 23 years ago, when her husband predeceased her.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Jeffery and Miss Maud Kerr of Calgary, and several sons, including Dudley Kerr of Calgary.

The nutritional disease pellagra gets its name from Italian words meaning rough skin.

**Bm Clarke**  
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**JANUARY  
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NOW IN FULL SWING

**"TAMAR" TEAS**  
From 60¢ lb.  
NO BITTERNESS  
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**BAD BREATH**  
The old theory that bad breath arises in the mouth is misleading. Bad breath invariably arises from the stomach. Lysol Anti-septic cleanses the mouth, and when swallowed, neutralizes fermentative processes in the stomach, the real source of bad breath. Satisfaction or money refunded by all Vancouver Drug Co. Stores—21c, 30c and 74c.

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Are you bothered with the itching torture of eczema, rash, athlete's foot, eruptions, or other skin afflictions? For quick and lasting relief use cooling, antiseptic, liquid V.I.C. Ointment. Its gentle oils soothe the irritated skin. Clear, refreshing and stabilizing—dries fast. Stops the most intense itching instantly. A 5c trial bottle, at drug stores everywhere. 5-cent money back.

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## Entertain for Son And Daughter At Dance

The Oak Bay Theatre hall was effectively decorated in a color scheme of purple and gold for the dance given last night by Mr. and Mrs. Guy M. Shaw, 1391 Oliver Street, in honor of their son, Richard Shaw of the R.C.A.F., Toronto, and their daughter, Nancy. An orchestra played the music for dancing, and supper was served buffet style.

The guests were Col. and Mrs. H. W. Laws, Capt. and Mrs. C. M. C. Fleming, Mrs. Lytton Mara, Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Bevan, Mr. and Mrs. T. Watt, Mrs. Hextall and Mrs. E. P. Ashe.

Misses Ruth and Betty Lou Horton, Rachel Jukes, Denise Mara, Ursula Forbes, Ann Ride-wood, Patsy Barr, Dorothy Campbell, Betty Carr, Muriel Uthoff, Laura Bapty, Dora Jones, Pam Jones, Josephine Wilson, Betty McMurray, Daphne and Diana Ker, Barbara Bate, Jane Holland, Frances Watt, Molly Horsfield, Fiona Taylor, Patricia Craig, Louise Holmes, Gwen Wright, Rosemary Williams, Sheila Williams, Joyce Dalziel, Pat Williams, Betty Dunsmuir, Desiree Davis, Gladys Van Eck, Daphne Nunn, Mary and Constance Stephens, Enid Long, Mary Drury, Pat Boyd, Pam Mitchell, Patsy Pitts, Joan Forrest, Gwen Gardiner, Valerie Kennedy, Smith, Winnie Williams, Thea Jardine and Vivian Martin.

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Douglas Fairbanks and Mrs. Fairbanks, the former Lady Ashley, were guests of Mrs. Vincent Astor at a charity party in New York recently. Mrs. Fairbanks' gown has a form-fitting black bodice with heart-shaped decolletage and narrow shoulder straps and a pale, flesh-colored tulle skirt embroidered with sequin calla lilies. With it, she wore a sparkling necklace and earrings.

## SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Miss Beatrice Grant, Cresta Linda Apartments, has returned home after being the guest of her sister, Mrs. F. C. Saunders, Vancouver, over the holiday season.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth J. Bowne of Vancouver have returned home after visiting Mrs. Bowne's mother, Mrs. H. Hodge, Island Road, Oak Bay.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Cummins of Vancouver and their family have returned home after visiting Mrs. Cummins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Carl Penderay, Beach Drive.

Mr. Terrence Fitzpatrick, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Fitzpatrick of Lunenburg Avenue, has returned to his mining studies at the University of British Columbia.

Miss Joyce Blackwell left Victoria yesterday for her home in Saskatoon after spending the last three weeks as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Wight, 1325 Finlayson Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Boyes and their two children who have been visiting Mrs. Boyes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Moir at Langford Lake, returned to their home in Vancouver.

Dr. A. O. MacRae of Vancouver returned yesterday afternoon to the mainland after visiting his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Patterson, Cotswold Road, Uplands.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Gawley, who have been visiting Mr. Gawley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Gawley, Langford Street, have returned to their home in Medford, Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Galt Martin of Seattle have returned home after spending the holiday seasons in Victoria with Mr. Martin's grandmother, Mrs. John Galt, Rockland Avenue.

Mrs. C. E. Weston of Monckton, N.B., and her brother, Mr. F. B. Fripp, have come out to visit with their sister, Mrs. A. J. Fraser, Joan Crescent, and are staying at The Angela.

Miss Margaret McLennan of Vancouver, who came over to spend the New Year holiday with her parents, Capt. and Mrs. C. P. Kinney, Bank Street, will return to the mainland tomorrow afternoon.

Mr. D. H. I. Shildrick, manager of the branch of the Bank of Montreal, Esquimalt, and Mrs. Shildrick have returned from Port Moody, where they spent the New Year week-end with Mayor and Mrs. H. S. Cunningham.

After spending the holiday season in Victoria with friends, Mr. and Mrs. Reg. Hamilton left this afternoon for Seattle and will motor south to Berkeley, California, where Mr. Hammond will resume his teaching and studies at the University of California during the coming season.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Gravelle, Lake Cowichan, announce the coming marriage of their only daughter, Pearl Elizabeth, to Mr. Kenneth Herbert Rendle, second son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Rendle, Mount Tolmie, Victoria. The wedding will be solemnized quietly in the latter part of this month.

Mr. Harold Husband, who spent Christmas and the New Year holidays in Arizona with Mrs. Husband and her mother, Mrs. F. A. Lindsay, has returned home. Capt. N. Van der Vliet, who also joined his wife in Arizona for the holiday, is expected back at the beginning of next week.

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**OF FINEST QUALITY SHOES**  
**—NEWEST STYLES FROM AMERICA—**  
**A WONDERFUL CHANCE TO SAVE!**  
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## Weddings

### BROOKS-SYLVESTER

Announcement is made of the wedding quietly solemnized on January 4 at Ryerson Church, Vancouver, B.C., by Rev. Braden of John Lemuel Brooks, only son of Mrs. Mary Ann Brooks and the late Mr. Henry Brooks of Saanichton, B.C., to Emily Elizabeth (Daisy), eldest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Brooker, Monterey Avenue, Victoria, and widow of the late W. B. Sylvester, Victoria.

### WILSON-FRASER

Dr. and Mrs. W. F. Fraser of Merritt, B.C., formerly of Victoria, announce the marriage of their only daughter, Gwendolyn, to Mr. John D. Wilson, only son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Wilson of Edinburgh, Scotland, formerly of Victoria and Seattle.

The wedding took place very quietly on December 31 at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Rev. J. W. L. McLean officiating.

### GEORGE-MILLER

A pretty home wedding took place on Saturday evening when Rev. T. H. McAllister, united in matrimony Hazel Mac, youngest daughter of the late Sgt. Major R. C. Miller, 103rd Battalion, C.E.F., and Mr. Leslie Harold George, second son of Mr. and Mrs. I. George, Toronto. During the service, the young couple stood beneath a white arch decorated with ivy and pink and white flowers.

The bride, who was given away by her brother, Mr. Robert Miller, looked charming in a New York model gown of French blue crepe-de-chine, with wine-colored hat and veil and wine accessories and a corsage bouquet of pink roses and bouvardia. Attending her was her sister, Miss Christian Miller, in a "monks" dress of brick red silk crepe with black accessories and a corsage bouquet of cream roses. Mr. Charles Grinyer was best man. As the register was being signed, Mr. Carl Miller played a violin solo, "I Love You Truly."

The three-tier wedding cake stood on a table covered with a hand-embroidered cloth and flanked by tall pink tapers in silver sconces. A buffet supper was served later from a table centred with pink and white flowers in a silver bowl.

Mrs. Miller welcomed the guests in a rust dress with black accessories and corsage bouquet of Talsman roses. Among those present were Mrs. I. Stewart and Mr. R. Miller, both of Vancouver.

### FLETT-JANES

A quiet wedding was solemnized at the home of Mrs. J. A. Jones of Cherry Point, Road, Cobble Hill, on New Year's day, when Agnes Maud, youngest daughter of Mrs. Jones and the late J. A. Jones, were united in marriage to John Alfred Flett, younger son of Mrs. Flett and the late John W. Flett of Duncan.

The ceremony, performed by the Rev. W. F. Burns, took place under an arch of greenery with white and silver wedding bells above, against a background of yellow chrysanthemums and greenery.

The bride wore a suit of French blue wool, with a headband of blue forget-me-nots and a corsage of pink carnations. After the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served from a table

centred by a three-tier wedding cake. Only the immediate relatives of the bride and groom were present.

The bride was formally a nurse at the Provincial Jubilee Hospital, Victoria. The young couple will take up their residence at Quamichan Lake.

## T.V.A. Auxiliary Hold Banquet

Members of the Tuberculous Veterans' branch of the Canadian Legion were guests of the Women's Auxiliary at the annual banquet, held last night in Spencer's dining room. The affair was an enjoyable success and the tables presented an attractive appearance with their colorful pottery bowls of cream and rust chrysanthemums.

Mrs. D. W. Burnett, president of the auxiliary, was in the chair and after grace by Rev. F. L. Stephenson, padre of the branch, she warmly welcomed the veterans and other guests and wished them all the happiest of new years.

Padre Stephenson after recalling less enjoyable Christmas dinners in France during the Great War, warmly complimented the auxiliary on its generous and sympathetic assistance to the T. B. Veterans and paid a general tribute to the women of the various branches of the Canadian Legion.

His toast to the ladies was responded to by Mrs. Burnett, who also thanked the press for its assistance. Mrs. H. P. Hodges of the Times replying on behalf of herself and the Colonist representative, Miss Bullock Webster.

Mr. Sidney Strachan, president of the T.V.A., spoke briefly, referring with regret to those members who have passed on during the year, and to those whom illness prevented from attending the banquet. He thanked the auxiliary for its ever-generous and ready assistance at all times, and observed that it was one of the strongest women's auxiliaries in the west.

After dinner, the members and guests adjourned to the T.V.A. clubrooms on Blanshard Street, where cards and house-house were enjoyed and prizes distributed.

## Maude Adams Likes 'Peter Pan' Best

Veteran Actress  
Lectures Before  
Huge Audience

NEW YORK (AP)—Three decades from the time she first enchanted New York as "Peter Pan" in Sir James Barrie's play, Maude Adams told an audience—which as children whispered warnings to Peter years ago over the footlights—that "Of all my plays, I love 'Peter Pan' the best." Many grown-ups who hoarded pennies in Peter Pan banks back in 1906 in order to see the play eight or 10 times crowded into Town Hall where the actress, now 66, talked on "phases of the drama."

Appearing on a New York stage for the first time since her retirement more than 20 years ago, Miss Adams took three curtain calls. Finally she blew a kiss to the capacity audience. Nearly 500 were turned away.

SWANSEA, Wales—Hake took first place, plaice second, herring third, and salmon tenth at a competition here to ascertain the country's favorite fish.

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## Langford

The annual meeting of St. Matthew's Guild took place Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. Stuart Yates. The following officers were elected: Hon. presidents, Mrs. R. E. M. Yerburch and Mrs. D. B. F. Bullen; president, Mrs. H. A. Hincks; first vice-president, Mrs. L. M. A. Savory; second vice-president, Mrs. J. Stuart Yates; secretary, Mrs. J. A. Welch; Dorcas secretaries, Mrs. C. Willard, Mrs. W. A. Walker and Mrs. D. Malcolm; honorary auditor, Mrs. A. F. Bayles. It was decided to hold a St. Patrick's tea and apron sale March 15.

A meeting of the girls' branch of St. Matthew's W. A. Guild will be held on Friday at 8, at Marshwood, home of Miss Rosemary Bullen.

## FIRST UNITED Y.P.S.

The weekly meeting of the First United Y.P.S. will take the form of a house party, which is to be held at the home of Iris Dixon, 464 Stannard Avenue. Members are asked to meet there at 8.

## ST. LUKE'S A.Y.P.A.

The regular meeting of St. Luke's A.Y.P.A. was held on Tuesday. The vice-president welcomed Miss Nancy Porter, a new member.

Arrangements were made for the dance to be held on February 17 at St. Luke's Hall.

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<b>PURE COCOA</b> 25¢ 2-lb. tin	<b>COFFEE</b> 16¢ lb.	<b>ROBIN HOOD OATS</b> 18¢ large pkt.	<b>ROBIN HOOD OATS</b> 18¢ large pkt.
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<b>SALT</b> 4¢ pkt.	<b>COFFEE</b> 16¢ lb.	<b>ROBIN HOOD OATS</b> 18¢ large pkt.	<b>ROBIN HOOD OATS</b> 18¢ large pkt.
<b>Dried Green Peas</b> 5¢	<b>COFFEE</b> 16¢ lb.	<b>ROBIN HOOD OATS</b> 18¢ large pkt.	<b>ROBIN HOOD OATS</b> 18¢ large pkt.
<b>STRAWBERRY JAM</b> 19¢ 32-oz. jar	<b>COFFEE</b> 16¢ lb.	<b>ROBIN HOOD OATS</b> 18¢ large pkt.	<b>ROBIN HOOD OATS</b> 18¢ large pkt.
<b>ENGLISH GOOSEBERRY JAM</b> 19¢ 1-lb. jar	<b>COFFEE</b> 16¢ lb.	<b>ROBIN HOOD OATS</b> 18¢ large pkt.	<b>ROBIN HOOD OATS</b> 18¢ large pkt.
<b>STRAWBERRY JAM</b> 32¢ 4-lb. tin	<b>COFFEE</b> 16¢ lb.	<b>ROBIN HOOD OATS</b> 18¢ large pkt.	<b>ROBIN HOOD OATS</b> 18¢ large pkt.
<b>MAID'S BEST COFFEE</b> 29¢ 1-lb. tin	<b>COFFEE</b> 16¢ lb.	<b>ROBIN HOOD OATS</b> 18¢ large pkt.	<b>ROBIN HOOD OATS</b> 18¢ large pkt.
<b>PURE HONEY</b> 45¢ 5-lb. tin	<b>COFFEE</b> 16¢ lb.	<b>ROBIN HOOD OATS</b> 18¢ large pkt.	<b>ROBIN HOOD OATS</b> 18¢ large pkt.
<b>ROGERS' SYRUP</b> 29¢ 5-lb. tin	<b>COFFEE</b> 16¢ lb.	<b>ROBIN HOOD OATS</b> 18¢ large pkt.	<b>ROBIN HOOD OATS</b> 18¢ large pkt.
<b>MY-TE-FINE MALT VINEGAR</b> 12¢ 16-oz. bottle	<b>COFFEE</b> 16¢ lb.	<b>ROBIN HOOD OATS</b> 18¢ large pkt.	<b>ROBIN HOOD OATS</b> 18¢ large pkt.
<b>OCEDAR Liquid Wax</b> 19¢	<b>COFFEE</b> 16¢ lb.	<b>ROBIN HOOD OATS</b> 18¢ large pkt.	<b>ROBIN HOOD OATS</b> 18¢ large pkt.
<b>MACARONI</b> 2 lbs. 15¢	<b>COFFEE</b> 16¢ lb.	<b>ROBIN HOOD OATS</b> 18¢ large pkt.	<b>ROBIN HOOD OATS</b> 18¢ large pkt.
<b>ENGLISH GOOSEBERRY JAM</b> 39¢ 4-lb. tin	<b>COFFEE</b> 16¢ lb.	<b>ROBIN HOOD OATS</b> 18¢ large pkt.	<b>ROBIN HOOD OATS</b> 18¢ large pkt.
<b>MILK</b> 2 lbs. 19¢	<b>COFFEE</b> 16¢ lb.	<b>ROBIN HOOD OATS</b> 18¢ large pkt.	<b>ROBIN HOOD OATS</b> 18¢ large pkt.
<b>OLIVE OIL</b> 9¢ bot.	<b>COFFEE</b> 16¢ lb.	<b>ROBIN HOOD OATS</b> 18¢ large pkt.	<b>ROBIN HOOD OATS</b> 18¢ large pkt.
<b>LEMON'S Ripe Olives</b> 16¢ 1-lb. tin	<b>COFFEE</b> 16¢ lb.	<b>ROBIN HOOD OATS</b> 18¢ large pkt.	<b>ROBIN HOOD OATS</b> 18¢ large pkt.

## Soviet Shoe Models Arouse Storm

Communist Organ Plays Expense of 'Maniac's' Designs

MOSCOW (AP)—Extreme new designs in shoes for women have stirred a storm in the Soviet Russian shoe industry.

Pravda, Communist party organ, attributed the following unusual models to a Comrade Pekar, whom it called a "young style maniac."

"Soviet Music" which has an open toe and a treble clef design instead of a buckle.

"Park of Culture and Rest"—which features a high heel representing a parachute tower.

Other models are called "Collective Harvest" and "North Pole Flight from Moscow to America."

Pravda expressed indignation over the designs because the result was 33,000 rubles (nominally about \$6,520) "squandered" in the central model shop in designing models.

## Clubwomen's News

Notices intended for publication in this column on Saturdays must be written and handed in to the office not later than Friday afternoon.

The Local Council of Women will hold its meeting on Monday afternoon at 2:30 at the Y.W.C.A. when general business will be attended to—Madame Sanderson-Mongin will address the members on "The Life of Madame Curie."

The Esquimalt subdivision of the Catholic Women's League held its monthly meeting Tuesday, with Mrs. Temple presiding. A report of the Indian children's party was made, and a party for the children of the parish has been arranged for Saturday, January 14. Arrangements were also made for a Valentine tea to be held Sunday, February 12, at 570 Esquimalt Road; further details will be made known later.

The monthly meeting of Margaret Jenkins Parent Teacher Association will be held in the school auditorium Monday evening at 8. Dr. Henrietta Anderson of the provincial Normal School will be the speaker and her subject will be "Highlights of the Teaching Profession." Several musical numbers have also been planned and refreshments will be served. It is hoped a large number of parents and friends of the school will be present. The association is also planning a dance and court night party in the auditorium on Friday evening, January 13.

W.A. to Pro Patria branch, Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L. met in the Eagles' Hall Tuesday evening for their annual general meeting, with the president, Mrs. D. Muir, in the chair. Mrs. B. Ripley reported visiting the returned men in both hospitals at Christmas time, also sick comrades in their homes, distributing the usual Christmas cheer from the W.A. The ways and means committee under the chairmanship of Mrs. Minnis gave a splendid report of month's work, helping the funds of the W.A. considerably. A vote of thanks was moved to Fred M. McGregor for donation of a silver cup for eighteenth reel contest held at old-time dances. Annual reports were read from members of executive. Election of officers took place. Mrs. D. Muir was again elected president; first vice-president, Mrs. Cherriff; second vice-president, Mrs. Renfrew; treasurer, Mrs. Gornall; secretary, Miss M. Abbott. Corsette bouquets were presented to last year members of executive by the past president, Mrs. B. Ripley. After the meeting refreshments were served by the executive.

The United Presbyterian executive met Wednesday afternoon at the First United Church, Mrs. George Goy presiding. The president's New Year message was an encouragement to bring kindness, courage and inspiration to all in 1939 by the words we use. Mrs. C. E. Sonley spoke from the promise, "Lo, I am with you always." The corresponding secretary and treasurer reported. A donation was received from a friend in Parkville. Two new mission bands up-land were reported. Temperance secretary asked auxiliary temperance secretaries to send in their reports as soon as possible. The annual Presbyterian gathering will be held on January 25, 26 and 27 at the Metropolitan Church. The opening meeting on Wednesday evening to commence at 8 o'clock. The committees are as follows: Program, Mrs. W. J. Graham, Mrs. S. H. Shaw, Mrs. W. F. Perry and Mrs. A. Beere; singing, Miss E. Harte and Mrs. J. A. Shellen; registration, Mrs. A. Dowell; reception, Mrs. W. H. Muncy, Mrs. Whitehouse and Mrs. F. W. Bowles; refreshment, Mrs. Whitley, with two representatives from each local auxiliary. The next executive meeting will be held at Metropolitan Church, Wednesday evening, January 25, at 7.30.

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## Picture Clothes as Women's Solace

NEW YORK (CP)—There is something transcendental about the power of losing trouble in picture clothes, the velvet healing won from their contemplation, writes an editor of the Herald-Tribune, quite evidently inspired by a more-than-casual glance through the illustrated fashion page. The editor goes on: "Though horror reign abroad, expatriation at home, though head and feet be weary, still in ever-happy ads a woman may eat lotus and drink lethe. After the paper's first dubious pages begin the dreams. Her face lights up, she is not wistful. 'Lame looms importantly on the horizon for little evenings'—nothing here for tears. 'Stockings sheer as your shadow—reduced.' Comforting words. 'The paddock coat which you, madame, have sought so desperately.' No matter how dictators bellow, stores speak as perfect gentlemen. She finds the peace of pure idealism in garments she may never wear.

"No other literature is so calming to its faithful. If fewer women than men go insane, this very likely is the result of clothes, at once restorative and sedative. Distress for other people far and near, along with the ordinary vexations of even a safe and ordered life, prey of course,

upon a woman's mind, but as she turns the pages of her newspaper or review she can find in prophecies about clothes and cosmetics a subtle relief. For women's wear advertisements are a commercial art that never lets its public down.

"There is no envy in it because a street-sweeper's wife, putting on the cabbage as she jiggles the baby, can glance with sublimated joy at the old Sunday paper covering the kitchen table. 'To make you glamorous and precious tonight—moon-blue paillettes on a mist of silver tulle.' It probably is easier to scour knives or scrape carrots or even to peel the hard shell from a pie-pumpkin if the toiler can lean on pages glorified by Paris evening coats and dinner hats."

## OCTOGENARIAN BRIDE-GROOM

GEORGE'S RIVER, N.S. (CP)—A whirlwind courtship of little more than a month ended at the altar in this north Cape Breton village Monday for 82-year-old David Murphy of Glace Bay and Mrs. Cassie McLellan, 72, of Little Bras d'Or. Both had been married twice previously.

**Pigeon Visitor**  
LONDON—Patients in the Great Ormond Street Hospital for Sick Children were delighted to see a pigeon which flew in through a window after lights were out, had a meal of biscuits and departed in the morning.

## UNITED Y.P.S.

The second-quarter Lower Island United Young People's Officers' Congress will be held during the week-end of January 28-29 in Victoria.

At the United Young People's Council meeting on Wednesday at the Y.W.C.A., an encouraging message was brought by Rev. D. M. Perley, Sidney.

Miss Evelyn Wright, general secretary, presented the secretarial report, and the West Coast Missions committee reported a large collection of literature for Rev. U. Laite's mission boat.

The new Tillikum Y.P. Scribe was brought to the council's attention. The United Young People's Camp will be held in July at Ocean Park. Rev. Horace Burkholder led a very interesting discussion on leadership training and Union problems, after adjournment of the business session.

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**FEMININE "GRAND MASTER"**—With old appropriate formality and ritual, Mrs. Seton Challen (left) was recently enthroned for life as the most worshipful Grand Master of the Honorable Fraternity of Ancient Freemasons, at the Masonic Temple in London. This 25-year-old organization works from the first to the thirty-third degree, and claims to give women Masonry in its pure form and in its entirety. Mrs. Challen is a daughter of the organizer of the lodge, and is herself the last of the founders. At the right is the lodge's X Grand Sword Bearer, Mrs. Phyllis Sutton Vane, during the installation ceremony, which, by the way, lasted three hours.

## Radio to Carry King's Speeches

Only Ottawa and Provincial Capitals Chosen for Addresses

OTTAWA (CPI)—During their tour of Canada next May and June the King and Queen are not to be expected to listen to addresses of welcome except in Ottawa or provincial capitals.

In a statement giving further details of the royal visit Prime Minister King said last night that in no case were Their Majesties to be expected to reply orally to any addresses.

Except for the day of their arrival in Quebec May 15 there must be no more than one official meal-time gathering, a luncheon or dinner, in any one day. At Quebec there will be a luncheon given by the federal government and a dinner by the provincial government.

Their Majesties are not to be asked to accept degrees from any universities nor to accept invitations from private individuals, private corporations or individuals.

No visits will be made to any educational or charitable institutions nor to any industrial plants.

Several speeches are expected to be delivered by the King and Queen while they are in Canada and all will be broadcast, the Prime Minister said, but details are not yet ready for announcement.

It was desirable all local arrangements be in the hands of the secretary of the interdepart-

mental committee by March 1, the Prime Minister said, since all details must be submitted for approval of Their Majesties.

With respect to restrictions on official entertainment it will be necessary for the Lieutenant-Governor and his advisers in each provincial capital to decide whether the official luncheon or dinner would be given by either the Lieutenant-Governor or provincial government, or both combined.

Municipalities desiring to present addresses of welcome will be permitted to pass them to a designated member of Their Majesties' party and so have them published in the newspapers, but with the possible exception of capital cities, none will be listened to by the King and Queen.

In arranging processions through provincial capitals calls will be made at Legislative Buildings and city halls, the stops to be made in order of convenience according to the route of the procession.

## Chamberlain and Daladier to Meet

LONDON (AP)—Prime Minister Chamberlain disclosed today that when he goes to Rome next Tuesday to see Premier Mussolini he will make a two-hour stop in Paris to confer with Premier Daladier.

The halt ostensibly will be for tea, but tea will be served in the French Foreign Office, and Mr. Chamberlain, M. Daladier, Foreign Secretary Viscount Halifax of Great Britain and Foreign Minister Georges Bonnet of France will attend.

In informed circles it was believed the meeting was designed

## JAPANESE-U.S. TENSION INCREASES

Tokio Paper Says Roosevelt Mistakenly Holds Nippon Aggressor

TOKIO (AP)—Increased friction between the United States and Japan as a result of President Roosevelt's January 4 message and the big American arms program was predicted Friday by the influential newspaper Tokio Asahi.

"The Japanese believe Japan is one of the targets" of United States preparedness plans, the Asahi declared.

It said the President mistakenly considered Japan an aggressor and "deems it necessary to apply economic sanctions through modification of the neutrality act."

"This means the United States turns from good-neighborliness to antagonism toward the totalitarian states," the Asahi said. "It is to be feared friction between Japan and the United States will become more and more acute."

The Asahi is a comparatively liberal paper and has advocated United States-Japanese friendship.

An epidemic of cholera in northern India has taken 17,000 lives recently.

Paint films cannot last and they do not give continuous protection to surface which are corroded from under them, according to Industrial and Engineering Chemistry.

as a reminder to Mussolini that although Mr. Chamberlain was visiting him, this did not mean weakening of the ties binding Britain and France.

## Bible World Finds

Honor American first to explore Bible past in Palestine; archaeologists tell of great finds in Bible World.

NEW YORK—Paying honor to Edward Robinson, the first man to explore in Palestine, archaeologists here hailed the Bible discoveries made since Robinson's pioneer venture in 1838.

Noted archaeologists spoke in praise of Prof. Robinson at the Centennial celebration jointly arranged by the American Schools of Oriental Research, Archaeological Institute of America, Society of Biblical Literature and Exegesis, and Union Theological Seminary.

Prof. Millar Burrows of Yale told how Robinson's journey across Palestine and his efforts to spot lost or buried sites of Bible history inspired others to begin digging. The names Samaria, Armageddon, Mizpah, Beth-shan and many others are now made vivid by what is known of the ruins.

During the World War, Palestine was no place for archaeologists, said Prof. Burrows, but under British mandate archaeology has flourished.

An impressive array of current discoveries in various Bible lands, adding to Christian history, was reported by Prof. Harold Willoughby of the University of Chicago.

In Bethlehem, he stated, explorations beneath the present Nativity Church, built in Emperor Justinian's time, have revealed plans of the still older Nativity Church of Constantine.

On the Plain of Esdraelon, near Nazareth, the famed Rabbinate catacombs are being excavated. The work, just started under Jewish auspices, has already brought to light wall decorations showing very early Jewish religious art.

In Jerash, study of early Christian churches shows some amazing adaptations, Prof. Willoughby said. A great central aqueduct was taken by early Christians as the foundation and structural skeleton for a Christian basilica, a unique shift in architecture. Jerash Christians also turned a pagan temple of Dionysus into the cathedral church of the city.

In Palmyra, in the Syrian desert, the French have so completely removed the modern native town out of the ruins, that today only three modern buildings stand in the ancient and beautiful

ruined city. The great Sun temple is now being reconstructed and made secure.

Athens and Corinth, the archaeologist continued, are at present the foci of supremely successful archaeological operations, conducted by the American School of classical studies in Greece.

Describing as "intense" Italian interest in archaeology from the time of Augustus to Trajan—the general period of early Christian expansion, Prof. Willoughby said that government support for this line of discovery is today generous to the point of being lavish. Mussolini's Rome, which coordinates city planning with preservation of ancient monuments, he described as bewildering in its magnitude and cleverness, adding that "one cannot close his eyes to certain obvious defects in the plan."

Throughout Italy, all important early Christian churches are being restored to their original state as nearly as possible, he continued. The work is done sometimes by the Catholic Church, sometimes by the Fascist government.

It is only 86 miles from the tip of Sicily to the Tunisian coast in Africa.



**JOHANNSEN'S VICTORY JUMP**—Bob Johannsen, captain of the McGill ski team, led his men to victory in the jumping event of the International Intercollegiate meet being held at Lac Beauport. Johannsen is shown above soaring through the air in one of his leaps where style brought him victory over his closest Dartmouth rival.

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# Arsenal Will Meet Chelsea

## Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

ANOTHER CHICAGO hockey manager has come and gone. Like a bolt out of the blue, or should we say wind when speaking of Chicago, came the announcement this week that Bill Stewart had been fired as boss of the Black Hawks of the N.H.L. At that we shouldn't be surprised at anything Major Frederic McLaughlin, eccentric owner of the Black Hawks might do. Remember, he was the fellow who was going to give Chicago an all-American major hockey club.

We learned just how tough McLaughlin is to work with when we chatted with Clem Loughlin, who preceded Stewart as boss of the Chicago Hawks, and a former Victoria player, last spring in Edmonton. At that time Loughlin said the Major was plenty hard to please. Clem explained to us that McLaughlin is one of those fellows who knows absolutely nothing about the finer points of hockey, the capability of a player or the difficulties a manager has to get over during the course of a season. What he wants is a winning team. However, that apparently is not enough, as Stewart gave him the Stanley Cup and a world championship last season, to the great surprise of the hockey world and everybody else. He led the Hawks from nowhere to the pinnacle and still lost his job.

The Black Hawks have had 13 managers since making their debut into the N.H.L. in 1937. So Stewart, who is reported to be an awful likeable chap, may be said to have scored a par over the Chicago course in lasting since May, 1937. Paul Thompson of Calgary, a curly wolf on the ice as well as on top of his handsome noggin and who will be playing co-manager of the Hawks along with Carl Voss, is the last of the original New York Rangers still active in the big time. Bill and Eun Cook, Frankie Boucher, Ching Johnson and Murray Murdoch are other originals handling coaching jobs in other leagues.

Release of Stewart brings to mind the fact that the two teams setting the National Hockey League pace, Boston Bruins and New York Rangers, have had the same pilots since their organization. Connie Smythe, fiery leader of the Toronto Maple Leafs, was named manager of the Rangers when the club was established in 1926, but Lester Patrick took over before the season got underway. Art Ross has sagely guided the Bruins since their birth in 1924, with the exception of a brief period when he did his stuff by remote control from the office of general manager of Boston Arena Gardens. Ross has gone on record as saying he would like to see Stewart return to his old N.H.L. job of referee if he does not get anything better.

Alice Marble, warbling queen of United States tennis, trotted out in front of the Madison Square Garden through the other night, to give Don Budge a neat smack after his win over Ellsworth Vines. Then she went to shake hands with Ellsworth Vines, but the crowd yelled "kiss him, too," so she did. Marble is making a neat bit of change these nights warbling in the doggy dance room of the Waldorf-Astoria.

Lynn Patrick is still laying around nursing that injured knee he had operated on some time ago. Father Lester blames it on too much rugby Lynn played before he turned to hockey. "You might call it a football knee," says Lester. Lynn is satisfied to call it a "darned sore knee."

Was talking to Doug Feden this week and we discussed the professional tennis debut of Don Budge. "You know, Pete, I played that guy in a match out at the Willows when I was 16 years old?" "What was the score?" I asked. "It was 6-1, 6-0," replied Doug. "That is one more game that a lot of better players than I were able to take off that same Budge."

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## Two Great Clubs Clash Tomorrow in English Cup Football Third Round

LONDON (CP)—Prospects of warmer weather today allayed fears that cancellation of some third-round English football cup matches scheduled for tomorrow might be found necessary. There were heavy snowfalls in some districts in midweek.

Wintery conditions forced indoor training for the 64 teams that will battle for the famous trophy now held by Preston North End.

British fans eagerly await the outcome of matches in which Runcorn, Chelmsford City and Yeovil and Petters United—possible giant-killers—are participating. In Runcorn, little Cheshire colliery town, excitement is at a high pitch for the match against Preston.

Chelmsford is host to Southampton and Yeovil players travel from their west-of-England home to Yorkshire, where they tackle Sheffield Wednesday.

### KEEP TEAMS SECRET

Few managers have announced line-ups for the strenuous cup matches, but it is not likely that Douglas McMahon, Winnipeg-born player, will find a place in Wolverhampton's team against Bradford. Although the Canadian played a sound game at Blackpool a week ago, it is thought manager Buckley will call on the more experienced A. McIntosh, who has recovered from tonsillitis.

Biggest crowd of the day is expected at Stamford Bridge in London, where Chelsea opposes its neighbor and old rival, Arsenal.

Up in Scotland they are beginning to look on Glasgow Rangers as a cinch for the league championship. Maximum points during the New Year's holidays gave the Light Blues a nine-point lead over Hearts at the top of the first division.

Arbroath is visitor at Ibrox Park tomorrow and the Light Blues should experience no difficulty in recording another victory. Hearts may keep in step with a home game against Ayr United.

The third round draw for the English cup matches follows: Sheffield Wednesday vs. Yeovil and Petters.

West Bromwich Albion vs. Manchester United.

Brentford vs. Newcastle United.

Southport vs. Doncaster Rovers.

Liverpool vs. Luton Town.

Barnsley vs. Stockport County.

Chester vs. Coventry City.

York City vs. Millwall.

Derby County vs. Everton.

Blackburn Rovers vs. Swansea Town.

Chelsea vs. Arsenal.

Sunderland vs. Plymouth Argyle.

Aston Villa vs. Ipswich Town.

Leeds United vs. Bournemouth.

Newport County vs. Walsall.

Queen's Park Rangers vs. West Ham United.

Leicester City vs. Stoke City.

Runcorn vs. Preston North End.

Tottenham Hotspurs vs. Watford.

Chelmsford City vs. Southampton.

Cardiff City vs. Charlton Athletic.

Norwich City vs. Manchester City.

Birmingham vs. Halifax Town.

Chesterfield vs. Southend United.

Huddersfield Town vs. Notts Forest.

Wolverhampton Wanderers vs. Bradford.

Fulham vs. Bury.

Blackpool vs. Sheffield United.

Middlesbrough vs. Bolton Wanderers.

Grimsby Town vs. Tranmere Rovers.

Notts County vs. Burnley.

## Smart Race Field

69 Nominated for Grand National Steeplechase at Aintree, March 24

LONDON—Having succeeded last spring with a son of Man o' War, Mrs. Marion Dupont Scott will seek her second victory in the Grand National Steeplechase of Aintree, March 24, with another offspring of the famous stallion.

Among 69 horses named yesterday for the 101st running of the classic was War Vessel, six-year-old chestnut gelding by Man o' War-On Her Toes, Mrs. Scott's hope to match the triumph of Battleship, first United States owned and bred horse to win the world's foremost jumping race.

Royal Daniehl, H. C. McNally's Irish-bred jumper that finished second by a short head to Battleship in the 1938 race, has been installed favorite. War Vessel, who has done all his racing in Great Britain, and with only mediocre success, probably will be an outsider, but so was Battleship at 40 to 1.

# Victoria Daily Times

## APOSTOLI WILL FIGHT TONIGHT

Ranking Middleweight Tackles Billy Conn Over 10 Rounds

NEW YORK—Fred Apostoli expects to strengthen his claim to the world middleweight title tonight when he meets Billy Conn, lanky Pittsburgh Irishman, in a 10-round bout at Madison Square Garden.

Conn recently scored a decisive victory over Solly Krieger, recognized by the National Boxing Association as middleweight king, and so Apostoli figures a win over Conn would look well on his record.

Apostoli is recognized by the New York and California State commissions as the 160-pound champ on the strength of his knockout of Young Corbett III here last November.

Apostoli is an odds-on favorite.

## Budge-Vines Take Panning

'10-Cent Tennis,' Says New York Scribe; Dean Pop-off Sounds Familiar

By EDDIE BRIETZ

NEW YORK (AP)—Those promoters who are so glibly talking about matching Patrick

Edwards Comiskey, the Jersey heavyweight hope, with Max Baer or Lou Nova, forget the kid is only 18 and therefore not eligible to fight main bouts in this state. . . . there is a big alumni move on the coast to get football coach Howard Jones a long term contract at Southern California. . . . Van Mungo was the only Brooklyn Dodger to have his salary slashed. . . . Well, anyway Jimmy Fox who wants \$40,000 per, ain't bashful, is he?

That Dizzy Dean pop-off had the old familiar ring—arm O.K., can't wait for bell to ring, etc. Can't officials hope it's so. . . . Kay Stammers, the British tennis star, begins her third consecutive year in this book as the No. 1 glammer girl of sports.

Tom Yawkey can count what is left of his million-dollar baseball investment on the fingers of one hand—Joe Cronin, Bob Grove, Jimmy Fox and Roger Cramer.

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**WON STANLEY CUP BUT LOST JOB**—At the time the above picture was taken Bill Stewart was a happy fellow. The then manager of the Chicago Black Hawks National Hockey League club had just been presented with the Stanley Cup, representing the world professional championship. This week Stewart was fired by Major Frederic McLaughlin, owner of the Hawks.

## Smart Hoop Games

West Road and Buckles Register Victories In Thrilled-packed Battles

High School gym was the scene of the roughest case duel of the current season last evening when West Road and Chinese Students faced off on the maplewood court.

It was Ralph Michell and Eric Butler, a pair of sharp-shooting veterans, who led the West Roaders to a 46 to 35 victory. Between them they accounted for one more point than the Students' total score.

The Saanich brigade was the heavier and they used their poultage to advantage when attacking and in spoiling opposition attacks. With the game fast and furious all evening, there was lots of rough play and Referee Bob Macmurchie was kept busy calling fouls. He awarded a total of 34 fouls and sent four players to the bench on personals, three of them members of the Chinese team.

This was a senior B game, last night's verdict leaving the two teams in a deadlock for first berth.

The boys from out Keating way held the upper hand during the first 20 minutes of play, pulling out at the interval with a 25 to 11 lead. Chinese mustered all their hoop experience for a gallant last-half drive that saw them outscore the opposition by three points but lose the game by virtue of the 14-point margin the West Road boys built up in the opening stanza. G. Lowe topped the Chinese scorers, bagging 15 points, a dozen of which were netted in the last half.

Another thrilling contest took place between Buckle Service Station quintette and Bees, the servicemen nosing through for a 30 to 28 triumph on George Harknett's field effort with the game in its dying minute. The Buckle boys trailed through the first half and at the interval were behind nine points, 15 to 6.

When play resumed, the Bees kept the heat on and soon worked their lead up to 13 points. At this point the service station men started a great comeback that carried them to victory. With eight minutes of the game left, Buckles caught up with their opponents to knot the count at 22 to 22. The battle waged hot and fast during the next few minutes with the lead changing twice.

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# Boston Bolster Lead In Major Hockey Race

## 17 ICE WINS FOR PORTLAND

Bucs Nose Out Spokane 3 to 2 to Continue Walkaway in Coast Loop

PORTLAND—Portland Buckaroos are going to find marking up wins in that record book pretty monotonous soon. Last night it was number 17, a narrow 3 to 2 victory over the struggling Spokane Clippers.

And don't think the Coast Hockey League cellar-dwellers didn't struggle—it was one of the closest contests seen in Portland this season.

Twice the inland empire lads fought their way into the lead only to have the mighty Bucs dissolve the one-point margin each time. It was only when Walter McCartney smashed the puck into the net about 12 minutes after the start of the third period that Portland went ahead for keeps.

The result, of course, didn't affect the league standings. Bucs are still at the top and Clippers at the bottom with 18 losses and only three wins.

## Rugby Games On Tomorrow

Wanderers and J.B.A.A. In Feature Clash at Macdonald Park

League rugby will make its return after several weeks' layoff tomorrow afternoon, with the battle between Wally Brynjolfsson's Oak Bay Wanderers and Bob McInnes' J.B.A.A. claiming the spotlight at Macdonald Park, where another senior game between Garrison and Scottish will take place on the lower pitch.

McInnes' machine will be at its best strength for the engagement and in the Bay ranks the boys are confident they can pin back the ears of the Oak Bay stalwarts who have remained undefeated to date in the Barnard Cup campaign. This game promises supporters some keen competition.

The Oak Bay team will still be short Bill Brown and Brent Murdoch, two of its star players, who were injured in a "rep" practice early in November. George Langdon, ace scrum half-back, will be back in harness for the Bays, according to the line-up. Langdon was injured in a December game.

Intermediate games will take place on the High School grounds and Navy grounds, with Oak Bay Wanderers and College meeting at the former and Navy and Scottish tangling at the Navy pitch.

All games start at 2.45. Teams follow: J.B.A.A.—Mair, Bray, Pettifer, Andrews, F. Doheny, Simpson, C. Doheny, Dalzell, Langdon, Brown, Halkett, Ferguson, Smith, Lucas and Ritchie.

Oak Bay Wanderers (intermediate)—Clarke, Corcoran, Cook, Pearce, Brodigan, Murdoch, Heyland, Lindsay, MacKay, Elliott, Harmistson, Turner, Davey, Davies and Morrison.

Canadian Scottish intermediates—Jones, Bishop, Mair, Williams, Sorenson, Watson, Oddy, Painter, McDonald, Holland, Martin, Malcolm, Garrison, Clarkson, Luxton and Fraser. Players are asked to be at the Armories at 2 o'clock.

Canadian Scottish seniors—Hamilton, Narod, DeMacedo, Williams, Martin, Hughes, Painter, Moffatt, Coomber, Willard, Holyoak, Warwick, Hicks, Draper and Knight.

Jackson, Miss.—Jack Marshall, 187, Dallas, outpotted Lloyd Montgomery, 181, Bauxite, Ark., 10.

INTERMEDIATE LEAGUE Games scheduled tomorrow in the Intermediate League follow: Young Liberals vs. Camerons, Lower Beacon Hill. Referee, Edgar Borde.

Longshoremen vs. Caveys, Central Park. Referee, Mathison. Both matches will start at 2.30.

Caveys—J. Saunders, S. Ball, W. Richardson, H. Rowell, J. Cullen, E. Hetherington, Armistage, B. Carson, C. Ballam, C. Rowe, L. McKerrall, L. Fuller, B. Bousfield, R. Bland and G. Southern.

JUVENILE LEAGUE Matches scheduled tomorrow in the Juvenile League follow: Under 16—Maple Leafs vs. Hill's Corner, Lower Beacon Hill; referee, Obee Rovers vs. Esquimalt Meat Market, Upper Central; referee, McDonald.

Under 14—Shamrocks vs. Oaklands United, Royal Athletic Park; referee, McCall.

Fee-west vs. St. Louis College, Victoria West Park; referee, Bray. Kick-offs at 10.30.

## Hockey Standings

NATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE

	Goals	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.	P.
Boston	16	5	1	63	27	33	
Rangers	13	5	2	52	37	28	
Americans	11	7	4	61	59	26	
Chicago	8	11	3	51	56	19	
Toronto	7	10	4	41	46	18	
Detroit	6	14	3	48	66	15	
Canadiens	5	14	3	46	71	13	

COAST LEAGUE

	Goals	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.	P.
Portland	17	2	4	81	42	38	
Seattle	13	8	5	90	72	31	
Vancouver	7	12	5	63	75	19	
Spokane	3	18	4	61	86	10	

## Schriner Two Points Behind

New York / Americans' Star Gains in Major Hockey Scoring Race

Dave (Sweeney) Schriner of Americans pulled out four assists as the New Yorkers tied Detroit 6 to 6 last night and pulled two points behind the leading Johnny Gottselig of Chicago in the race for individual National Hockey League scoring honors.

Tommy Anderson, also of Americans, picked up a goal and an assist to climb into third place, while Toe Blake of Canadiens, who gained an assist as his team tied 2 to 2 with Rangers, slipped into a fourth place tie with Marty Barry of Detroit.

Leaders follow: G. A. Pts. Gottselig, Chicago. . . 11 13 24 Schriner, Americans. . . 7 15 22 Anderson, Americans. . . 9 11 20 Blake, Canadiens. . . 10 9 19 Barry, Detroit. . . 8 11 19 Stewart, Americans. . . 9 8 17 Carr, Americans. . . 8 9 17

Varsity Hoopers Soundly Beaten

SALEM, Ore. — Willamette University basketball team pocketed an early lead and went on to drub the University of British Columbia quint 56 to 30 here last night.

The Canadian team was unable to score until after over eight minutes had gone and the Bearcats led 33 to 15 at half-time as Otto Skopik, Cecil Quesseth and big Bill Anton consistently hit the mark.

Skopik rang in 19 points to lead the Willamette scoring while Lucas, centre, topped the Canadian with 10.

Racing Results

SANTA ANITA—Results of horse racing here yesterday follow: First race—Six furlongs. Bubbler (B. J. Fagan). 5.80 3.20 Early Duke (London). 3.40 1.20 Red Corp. (Nevers). 4.60 1.14 Also ran: Toro Play (Don). 4.60 1.14

Second race—One mile. Jack o' Spades (Robinson). \$4.00 \$2.40 \$2.40 Paper Ship (Fagan). 5.80 3.20 Brilliant Light (Bier). 3.40 1.20 Time 1:41. Also ran: The Dark, Calculator, Hustle, Lady Jacqueline, King Royal, Rose Crystal.

Third race—Mile and an eighth. Maripal (Boraman). \$11.40 \$5.00 \$2.40 Seaside (Gray). 20.20 9.00 Pitter Pat (Nevers). 4.40 1.40 Time 1:54. Also ran: Don Hamblin, Sweet Bernice, Bonford, Don Graham, Dark Angel, Anziation.

Fourth race—Six furlongs. Daybreak (Gray). \$9.00 \$4.40 \$2.20 Winning Chance (Stevenson). 5.60 4.00 Idle Way (Napier). 4.40 1.40 Time 1:11. Also ran: Happy Knight, Aurore, Black Highway, Mr. Grandy, Royal Beach.

Fifth race—Six furlongs. Indianwren (Nevers). \$2.00 \$2.40 \$2.20 Contrast (Longden). 14.40 \$2.20 \$2.



## Great Tribute Paid Ex-Mayor

Funeral Services for  
Late David Leeming  
Attended By Hundreds

Victoria paid its final tribute to the late David Leeming, five years mayor of the city, yesterday when hundreds attended the funeral service at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel.

The large number of organizations and public bodies represented testified to the esteem in which the former mayor was held. Eight members each of the city police department and fire brigade, in uniform, formed a guard of honor. All branches of the city service, the provincial government, the judiciary and many other public and semi-public bodies were represented in the mourners who overflowed the chapel and lined the sidewalks outside the parlors.

The casket was surrounded with masses of beautiful flowers in the chapel and as the long cortege proceeded to Ross Bay Cemetery, where interment took place in the family plot, four special cars were needed to carry the floral tributes.

Conducted under the auspices of the Christian Science Church, of which Mr. Leeming was a staunch member, the service began with the reading of the psalm "The Lord Is My Light."

There were Scripture readings from the Gospels of Mark, John 1 and the Romans with the correlative passages from the Christian Science textbooks. A period of silent prayer was followed by the recitation of the Lord's Prayer.

The penitential "Give Me, O Lord, an Understanding Heart," was sung, and the service ended with the "Scientific Statement of Being," from the textbook, with the corresponding passage from John 1.

As the guard of honor stood to attention the casket was borne from the chapel and the cortege to the cemetery formed in line. The active pallbearers were H. U. Knight, Lt. Col. J. C. F. Hyndman, Ralph Wilson, L. A. Hartshorn, F. Saxton White and W. Parry.

Among the honorary pallbearers were men with whom Mr. Leeming had been associated in business and public life. They were: James Forman, A. D. Ford, Herbert Anscomb, M.P.P. who preceded him as mayor, R. H. B. Ker, Hubert Lethaby, F. E. Winslow, Alderman R. A. C. Dewar, ex-Alderman P. R. Brown, George I. Warren, W. C. Moresby, K.C. and Alfred Carmichael.

The city council was represented by Mayor Andrew McGavin and Aldermen J. A. Worthington, Archie Willis, Edward Williams, D. D. McTavish, T. W. C. Hawkins, S. H. Okell and B. J. Gadsden. Mr. Justice C. H. O'Halloran of the Court of Appeal, and Hon. F. M. McPherson, Minister of Public Works, were present.

From the city hall staffs and departments there were Police Chief J. A. McLellan and Fire Chief Alex. Munroe, City Clerk M. F. Hunter, John Baxter, mayor's secretary, and others.

Representatives of outside municipalities, the provincial government service and various business and community organizations were in attendance, among them being:

Alex. Peden, E. W. McMullen, Herbert Penderay, Police Com. A. E. Mallett of Oak Bay, Dr. A. G. Price, David Dewar, William Crouch, G. H. Stevens, Reeve A. G. Lambriek of Saanich, J. H. D. Benson, W. Allan, Alex. Gillespie, Major H. C. Holmes, James Fletcher, David Miller, R. H. Shanks, J. H. Beatty, J. A. Bennett, Stewart G. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Scourah, A. J. Cleland, Mrs. C. D. Holmes, Rev. W. J. Sipprell, H. Patterson, John Dean, C. F. Banfield, A. C. Pitts, Mrs. C. E. Wilson, A. N. Fraser, H. W. Davey, J. C. Bridgman, Harold Hushan, W. W. Todd, Councillor J. V. Johnson of Oak Bay, Rev. T. H. Laundry, Harry Ella, A. Hood, Mr. and Mrs. Napier Denison, Donald Fraser, Capt. George McGregor, G. Hamilton Harman, W. B. Ryan, Deputy Commissioner T. W. S. Parsons of the Provincial Police, and Duncan MacBride.

### WRESTLING

Hartford, Conn.—Gus Sonnenberg, 210, Boston, defeated cow boy Joe Maynard, 217, Oklahoma City, two straight falls.

North Bergen, N. J.—Hans Stelnko, 242, Germany, pinned Chris Zaharias, 212, Pueblo, Col., 2:57.

Camden, N.J.—Steve Casey, 225, Chicago, defeated George Koverly, 220, Kansas City, Koverly disqualified after 27:15.

Lebanon, Pa.—Cliff Olson, 215, Minneapolis, defeated Hank Barber, 226, Cambridge, Mass. Barber injured after 12:10.

Indians of British Columbia believe that the raven is the source of light and life, and that the "killer" whale can turn itself into a man.

## RODDAN TO SPEAK HERE ON MONDAY

The struggle that is now taking place between democracy and dictatorship will be the topic of an illustrated lecture "Into the Heart of Europe," to be delivered by Rev. Andrew Roddan in the Fairfield United Church on Monday evening at 8. William T. Straith, M.P.P., will be the chairman.

Mr. Roddan recently completed a 3,000-mile tour of Czechoslovakia, former Austria, Hungary, Germany, Belgium, France, England and other European countries, and gathered data with which to deal with the crisis and developments that have taken place since then.

The position of Great Britain and the Dominion in relationship to the struggle between democracy and dictatorship will be discussed. The lecture will be illustrated by 100 colored lantern slides.

Mr. Roddan is pastor of First United Church, Vancouver, and a well-known radio commentator.

## CHOIR REVIEWS ACTIVE YEAR

Miss May Simpson  
Again Heads First  
United Singers

The First United Church Choir had its annual business meeting preceding choir practice last evening. The annual report, read by Miss Elsie Robinson, the secretary, recorded the work of the choir, also its participation in the musical festival, when it won the challenge shields for large choirs and also tied with the Centennial Choir for the W. G. Nichol Shield.

Miss L. McCall and Messrs. J. Bell and J. Pogson won in their respective classes. The successful concerts sponsored by the choir included an organ recital given by Sir Ernest McMillan.

Mr. S. G. Gurney presented the report of the nominating committee, and officers were elected as follows: Honorary presidents, Capt. G. McGregor and W. T. Straith; president, Miss May Simpson; first vice president, Neil Perry; second vice president, Jay Pogson; secretary, Miss Elsie Robinson; treasurer, J. L. Loudoun; librarians, Miss A. Pettigrew and S. Oakes; roll secretary, Mrs. W. B. Crowther; mistress of the robes, Miss J. Wilson; social committee, Mrs. W. Fletcher and Miss E. Sidwell; sick visiting committee, Mrs. R. Wilson and Mrs. Shaw; choir marshal, Neil Perry; auditor, S. G. Gurney; social committee, Mrs. W. H. Wilson, Messrs. J. Loudoun and J. Pogson.

Votes of thanks were expressed to the executive and W. C. Fyfe commended the good attendance and the work accomplished for the cause of music. Thanks were also extended to Mr. Fyfe for his leadership, and to Mr. Peaker for the support at the organ; also to J. Maurice Thomas, who took charge of the choir for August, and J. Smith, who deputised at the organ.

During the evening J. Loudoun, the choir treasurer, presented a very encouraging financial report, which was adopted.

## Cobra Venom Kills Pain Without Dulling

RICHMOND, Va.—Relief of the severe pain of cancer, the douloureux, locomotor ataxia and a number of other conditions without any dulling or depressing effect on the mind, but, on the contrary, with a stimulation of intellectual processes—these are the effects chalked to the credit of cobra venom in a report by Dr. David I. Macht and his son, Moses B. Macht of the pharmacological research laboratory of Hynson, Westcott and Dunning at Baltimore, before the American Association for the Advancement of Science here.

Although cobra venom is a poison, the Baltimore scientists report that it can be safely given in sterile solution in suitable doses.

Nearly two-thirds of a group of patients suffering from advanced cancer were relieved of pain by the venom. Small doses of it have also been given to patients suffering from chronic arthritis, neuritis and neuralgia, particularly the douloureux, locomotor ataxia and Parkinson's disease. At least half these patients derived some relief of pain, Dr. Macht and his son report.

Physicians using the venom reported not only a relief of their patients' pain but a brightening of their minds. At first this was thought to be the indirect result of the relief of pain. Psychological studies which the Macht report seem to show that the venom may actually stimulate the mental processes.

Tests of normal persons to whom cobra venom had been given showed an improvement of mental activity. Injections of morphine, cocaine, dilaudid and heroin in these subjects, on the

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Unsmoked, lb. 24c

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Cottage Cheese, lb. 11c; Libby's Kraut, 2 lbs. 15c

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Minced Steak, Sausage Meat, Oxford Sausage, lb. 8c

Prime Steer Beef

Blade Roasts, lb. 11c; Cross Rib Roasts, lb. 13c

Rolled Rib Roasts, lb. 15c; Thick Rib Roasts, lb. 24c

Rump Roasts, lb. 18c; Sirloin Tip Roasts, lb. 17c

Shoulder Steak, lb. 11c; Round Steak, lb. 16c

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Prime Steer Beef

Rump Roasts, lb. 20c; Sirloin Tip Roasts, lb. 22c

Prime Ribs, short, lb. 20c; T-bone Roasts, lb. 24c

Round Steak, lb. 22c; Plate Beef, lb. 10c

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## Morphine Habit Fight

RICHMOND, Va.—A new line of attack on the enslavement of human beings by morphine is planned by medical scientists, who for nine years have been searching for a morphine substitute that would relieve pain without causing addiction to the drug.

Details of the new attack and reasons for abandoning a previous line were reported by Dr. Erich Mosettig, of the University of Virginia, to the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

In their efforts to build up a new, non-habit-forming morphine, chemists have in the past started with a part of the morphine molecule called the phenanthrene nucleus.

"It seems now," Dr. Mosettig said, "that the phenanthrene nucleus is not essential in bringing about a morphine-like action."

New efforts to build up a morphine substitute will not follow so closely the skeletal structure of morphine. Instead Dr. Mosettig and associates will concentrate on constructing compounds with the proper arrangement of acidic and basic (alkaline) groups.

These, Dr. Mosettig believes, "are in the end responsible for the

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Robin Hood Wafer Flakes Oats, per pkt. 13c	Kellogg's All-Bran, large pkt. 19c	Nabob Custard Powder, per pkt. 5c	Brentwood Cut Green Beans, Peas or Golden Bantam Corn, 2s, tall tins. 3 for 25c
Robin Hood Quick Oats, 6-lb. sack 28c	Kellogg's Corn Flakes 3 pkts. 24c	Spencer's Chocolate Pudding, per pkt. 6c	Kinney's Tomatoes, 2 1/2 lb. 3 tins 25c
Red River Cereal, per pkt. 39c and 20c	Anna Lee Scott's Cake Flour, per pkt. 25c	SPENCER'S TEA AND COFFEE	Singapore Pineapple slices, crushed or cubes. 3 tins 25c
Dr. Jackson's Roman Meal, Libby's or Bekus, per pkt. 29c	Canada Corn Starch, per pkt. 9c	Rich Family Tea, per lb. 55c	Preserved Peaches, Pears or Apricots, 2s, squat. 2 tins 25c
Sunny Boy Cereal, 2-lb. pkt. 18c	Maple Leaf Bread Flour, 49-lb. sack \$1.45 24-lb. sack 75c	Breakfast Blend Tea, per lb. 43c	Australian Sliced Peaches, Golden Area Brand. 2 tins 25c
B. & K. Oatmeal, coarse, fine or medium, 5-lb. sack 28c	Ready Cut Macaroni, 2-lb. bag. 14c	Quality Tea, per lb. 40c	El Ranchero Corned Beef, per tin. 12c
Shredded Ralston, per pkt. 20c	Jell-O, all flavors, per pkt. 6c	Yerba Mate \$1.00	Swift's Potted Meat for sandwiches. 3 tins 25c
Shredded Wheat Biscuits, per pkt. 10c	Nabob Jelly Powder, all flavors 3 pkts. 10c	Diamond "S" Coffee, 1-lb. tin 37c	McLaren's Tasty Spread, per jar. 25c
Australian Pastry Flour, 10-lb. cotton sack 33c 5-lb. cotton sack 18c	SPENCER'S MALT SPECIAL	Libby's Tomato or Vegetable Soup. 4 tins 27c	CRISCO 57c 1-lb. tin 21c
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COFFEE, 1-lb. pkt. 35c	Tiger Salmon, 1/2, per tin. 12c	Nabob Orange, Lemon and Grapefruit Marmalade, 4-lb. tin. 39c	Columbia Pure Apricot Jam, 4-lb. tin. 37c
COCOA, 1-lb. carton 19c	Horseshoe Salmon, 1/2, per tin. 16c	ALL DAY SATURDAY we will demonstrate Hot Chocolate made with Carnation Milk—best food for babies. Tall tins. 2 for 19c	Nabob Pure Strawberry Jam, 4-lb. tin. 49c
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Lux Toilet Soap, per cake 5c	Cow Brand Baking Soda, 1-lb. pkt. 10c	Strained Foods, 12 varieties, 3 tins 25c	Christie's Ginger Snaps, lb. 15c
Colgate's Assorted Toilet Soap 6 cakes 25c	Maggi's Soup, 1 packet makes 2 or 3 plates, per pkt. 5c	Soups, all varieties, 10-oz. tin. 9c	Petit Beurre Biscuits, lb. 20c
		Cooked Macaroni and Cheese, 16-oz. tins. 2 for 27c	Dundee Shortbread, lb. 15c

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## VISIBLE AUTO TAGS

RICHMOND — Automobile license plates will have one letter and four or five numerals in the future if the authorities follow the advice of psychological tests reported to the American Association for the Advancement of Science this morning.

Prof. Adelbert Ford and George F. Derr, Lehigh University psychologists, reported that not only were plates of the type A1234 most recognizable but any plate with mixed letters and numbers was spotted with greater ease than a plate with pure letters or pure numerals.

Using 154 college students as testers, the Lehigh scientists performed their experiments to help

state officials pick a form of license plate most quickly identified by police or eye-witnesses at accidents.

Over 1,000,000 cars in a state, like Pennsylvania, can be identified with a maximum of only five digits, as 299999, if combined with a letter. If numerals alone were used, the numbers would of necessity reach seven digits, 9999999.

The ideal plate of one letter and four numerals obtained a recognition score of 5.32 where 0 would represent pure chance and 10 perfect recognition. Worst of all were combinations of all letters with a score of 2.28. Prof. Ford and Mr. Derr suggested that this low score might be due to the many combinations possible with 26 letters and the fact that letters are usually seen as word patterns.

What the college students said

about the tests revealed that they read the numerals and letters as two separate groupings and this operated to reduce the complexity of tags.

## BOWLING

OLYMPIC ALLEYS

BAFPO FIVEPIN LEAGUE

Prize—Miss F. Ferrie 660, Miss L. Vye 581, M. Wood 527, E. Harmon 398, G. Leeming 499, Total 2,560

Foresters—V. Harrison 378, D. Vye 563, D. Porter 562, J. Harrison 565, R. Blair 628, Total 2,556

Ironites won two.

Repotters—Mrs. McKay 322, Miss D. Smith 381, J. Delaney 345, M. Pringle 386, N. Rigney 372, Total 2,463

Shagbushes—Mrs. Armstrong 362, Mrs. Wicks 454, R. Lane 391, M. Doyle 408, N. Pollard 452, Total 2,377

Scopettes won three.

Protections—M. Kinley 480, M. Markzell 480, E. Priestley 431, E. Lindley 480, R. Weikert 487, Total 2,462

Dodds 381, E. Stevens 380, A. Belmont 380, H. Williams 372, Total 2,463

Protections won three.

Bain-Glens—E. Walton 332, J. Lewis 331, B. Porter 322, S. C. A. Lewis 431, R. C. McKay 431, Total 2,463

Repes 30—Miss M. Seymour 482, Mrs.

E. Goss 242, J. Orell 314, T. Leahy 666, Total 1,964

Bain-Glens won three.

FINANCIAL FIVEPIN LEAGUE

Empire Sales—E. M. Dowell 430, R. Randall 528, P. Daney 468, J. Randall 528, L. Wagner 561, handicap 354, Total 2,518

McKays—Mrs. E. McKay 528, W. McKay 528, J. Reid 460, R. O. Bradshaw 342, A. Carson 522, C. Harris 286, handicap 307, Total 2,560

Express Sales won three.

B.C. Ordners—J. Cockburn 627, R. E. Kelly 481, D. McKinnon 341, D. G. McKinnon 481, E. McKinnon 341, handicap 312, Total 2,519

Bank of Montreal—H. Miller 414, J. E. Elliot 428, S. C. A. Lewis 431, R. C. McKay 431, J. Dillabough 468, handicap 320, Total 2,576

R.C.S. Radio won three.

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E. and N. Shupe—P. Willey 525, L. Pringle 524, S. C. A. Lewis 431, R. C. McKay 431, J. Dillabough 468, handicap 320, Total 2,576

Canadian Bank of Commerce—B. Green 481, R. N. Austin 435, Gray 383, A. McKay 431, J. Noble 434, handicap 321, Total 2,519

Presidents—E. Shultz 531, L. Pringle 524, S. C. A. Lewis 431, R. C. McKay 431, J. Dillabough 468, handicap 320, Total 2,576

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## Claims Oak Bay Water Act Sound

No Need for Vote By Electorate on 1911 Amendment, Locke Says

Applicability of the Oak Bay Act Amendment, 1911, whereby Oak Bay seeks to justify its stand against payment of the city rate of 12.08 cents per 1,000 gallons for water supplied to it during the first quarter of 1938, did not depend upon ratification by a vote of the municipal electors, C. H. Locke, K.C., submitted today as he opened argument for Oak Bay in the water rate case now before Mr. Justice D. A. McDonald in the Supreme Court.

Taking of evidence, some of which has been submitted conditionally, concluded at noon today and Mr. Locke opened argument for the defendant municipality. The hearing is continuing this afternoon.

Yesterday H. A. Maclean, K.C., city counsel, had contended the Oak Bay case could find no support on the 1911 amendment, since, according to the city representative, that amendment was effective only if ratified by the Oak Bay electorate.

Today Mr. Locke argued the vote was required only if Oak Bay had, in 1911, decided to purchase water from the Esquimalt Water Works Company, following dissatisfaction with the supply then provided by Victoria.

At that time, Oak Bay's counsel held, the city was engaged in the development of the Spoke Lake supply. By the statute, Oak Bay was given permission to purchase water from the Esquimalt company up to the time the Spoke supply was available, when it was bound to buy from the city, Mr. Locke said. The vote required from the electorate, he declared, was a formal measure necessitated if Oak Bay bought water from the Esquimalt company. Oak Bay did not buy water from the company, and there was no need for the vote, Mr. Locke contended.

### SECOND PROVISION

As a second feature of the same act, the city was obliged to sell water to Oak Bay and Oak Bay was obliged to purchase it from the city in perpetuity. Failing agreement on a price, arbitration provision was made with the provincial water commissioner heading the mediation board, Mr. Locke said.

As the hearing reopened more documents were produced by Mr. Locke to indicate the attitude of the city and the municipality around the 1911 period.

He drew a sharp distinction between agreements made between Oak Bay and the city in 1916 and 1921 and those signed at later dates. The latter only made specific provision for reservations in respect to the vote, he contended.

R. F. Blandy, Oak Bay municipal clerk, took the stand late in the morning to testify the amount for which the city billed Oak Bay for the first three months of 1938 was \$536.39 below the figure claimed in the action.

In reply to Mr. Maclean he stated he considered it impractical for Oak Bay to bring water in from an independent source such as Shawnigan Lake. He also stated Oak Bay was not conversant with clauses dealing with water matters included in a Vic-

toria act passed by the Legislature in 1925.

In regard to the applicability of the Oak Bay Act (1910) Amendment Act (1911), Mr. Locke yesterday contended the city had waived the condition calling for a by-law vote. The city, he said, had entered into an agreement with Oak Bay for water, had negotiated with the municipality on the deal and had finally entered into a contract for the supply of water. That, he held, constituted the waiver.

In reply to Mr. Locke's contention that opposition of the city to a move by Oak Bay for the right to purchase water elsewhere had forced Oak Bay to accept supply from Victoria, Mr. Maclean declared it was for that purpose a by-law vote had been required. The legislature, he said, had in effect said to the people of Oak Bay—"Here for all time, you are in bondage to Victoria. Do you want it—if so, vote it—if not, vote it down." That was the purpose of the vote clause, he contended. There was no ambiguity about the statute and any other documentary evidence was unnecessary and immaterial, he said.

Mr. Locke is being assisted by H. G. Lawson, K.C., and Mr. Maclean by Forrest L. Shaw, city solicitor.

## CIVIL SERVICE LIST INCREASES

Report Shows 2,762 Now on Permanent Staffs

The increase in population in British Columbia, bringing with it demands for more public service, is causing a steady rise in the number of civil servants on provincial payrolls. It is shown in the last report of the superannuation commission.

In the last 17 years, since the pension scheme went into effect the number of civil servants has increased approximately 50 per cent, the report indicates.

Since 1928 there has been an increase of over 700, or more than a third.

In the last year the report shows 2,762 persons contributing to the pension fund. This represents all the permanent staff of the government, and does not cover casual labor or temporary employees.

In 1932 there were 2,408 contributors, in 1928 there were 1,994 and in 1921, when the scheme started, 1,807.

## Car Catches Fire After Accident

A car driven by George A. Pratt, Sidney, took fire yesterday afternoon on the East Saanich Road after it had been in a collision and knocked into the ditch at the roadside. Saanich police reported the fire damaged the wiring.

Miss S. Collins, a passenger in Pratt's car, suffered bruises and cuts when the machine was in a sideswipe with another car driven by Gordon A. Smith, 2955 Cedar Hill Road. Both cars were damaged. The accident occurred near the intersection of Haliburton Road.

A general meeting of the Pro Patria Branch of the Canadian Legion will be held Tuesday evening at 8 in the clubrooms when nominations will be accepted for the new slate of officers. Nominations will be accepted up to the night of the annual meeting. A meeting of the executive will be held Monday night at 8.

## Vernon Is Making Money on Forum

W. S. Harris Cannot Understand Why Victoria Lags Behind

Surprise that Victoria has no ice skating rink or civic forum was expressed today by W. S. Harris, publisher of the Vernon News. Accompanied by Charles A. Hayden, publisher of Country Life, Mr. Harris arrived yesterday to confer with departmental officials at the Parliament Buildings.

"With the population in this area, I can't understand Victoria lagging in this way," Mr. Harris said. "We have only 4,000 population in Vernon, but last year we raised \$65,000 and built an artificial ice rink with a seating capacity of 2,700. The rink was opened January, 1938. By April 1, after paying all running expenses, it showed an operating profit of \$7,000. In other words, in those three months we covered our interest and sinking fund for the whole year and had \$3,000 net profit. During the summer and early autumn when the rink was used for box lacrosse and other purposes, and since the opening of the skating and hockey season this winter we have been piling up on our earnings. If we can do this in our little community I can't understand why Victoria with its much greater population is lagging."

Mr. Harris said because of the popularity of skating and hockey have gained during recent years the rink has proved to be the most constructive asset Vernon has added. He said it brings people into Vernon from the whole Okanagan district. The whole Vancouver Rotary Ice Carnival of 30 star performers was taken to Vernon for two performances, which brought people into town from all through the interior of the province, and after paying all expenses netted a sum of money for the Rotary Club's child welfare work in the Okanagan.

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## TOWN TOPICS

Edward Carson Lodge No. 2384 will meet tonight at 8.

The directors of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce will hold their first meeting of the year in Spencer's dining-room, at noon Monday.

William Chow, Chinese, was fined \$20 in the City Police Court this morning when he was convicted on a charge of driving dangerously.

January meeting of the Victoria Welsh Society will be held tonight in the Sons of England Hall. At 6.15 there will be a children's supper followed by games.

A permit for a \$3,200 five-room home at 1418 Stadacona Avenue, was issued today by the city building inspector's department to Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Tredwell. D. H. Bale is listed as contractor.

The annual meeting of the Victoria West Liberal Social Club will be held this evening at 8 in the clubrooms, 414 Skinner Street. All members are requested to attend as the election of officers will take place.

A. J. Wishart, president of the Canadian Junior Chamber of Commerce from Winnipeg, will visit Victoria January 30 when he will be a guest of the Victoria Junior Chamber at a supper meeting.

Removal of alternate boulevard trees on Pandora Avenue and Coventry Street, and of other trees on Pandora Avenue, between Quadra and Vancouver Streets, is recommended by H. W. Warren in a letter placed on the City Council file today.

Action on the Goldstream hydro plant is expected shortly by the city following receipt of R. W. Beck's final report on power and light issues, it was learned at the City Hall today. Mr. Beck is expected here about January 15. In his report recommendations on action to be taken by the city on the Goldstream plant will be made.

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## Former Mayor of Victoria Passes

Alexander G. McCandless Was Prominent in B.C. Business Life

VANCOUVER (CP)—Alexander Gilmore McCandless, 77, mayor of Victoria in 1903 and resident of British Columbia for 57 years, died last night at his Cedar Crescent residence here.

Born in Coleraine, Ireland, he came to British Columbia in 1881 and pursued a career that led him into civic politics in Victoria, the furniture business and to the presidency of the Vancouver Board of Trade.

After spending four years in Philadelphia, Mr. McCandless came to Victoria in 1881 and went into the clothing business on Johnson Street with his uncle, Alexander Gilmore. On the death of Mr. Gilmore, Mr. McCandless formed the firm of McCandless Bros., taking his brothers, Henry and George, into the business.

He first sought civic honors in the capital in 1893, being defeated for alderman. He was elected in 1897 and the following year, and then served on the school board for three years. He represented North Ward in the council in 1902 and was elected mayor the following year, defeating Charles Hayward.

In 1905 he went to Vancouver and organized the Standard Furniture Co. which he sold in 1912, a year after he was elected president of the Vancouver Board of Trade. In 1912 he was the board's representative to the Chamber of Commerce of the British Empire at London. He was also a member of the delegation which interviewed the government for establishment of the first grain elevator in Vancouver.

Mr. McCandless established and managed the Dominion Income Tax office in Vancouver in 1915 and from 1927 until last year he was connected with the lands department of the British Columbia Electric Railway Co.

George McCandless of Victoria is a brother.

Funeral services will be held Monday.

## Teachers Pension Plan Redrafting

Government Engages Actuary to Recommend Sound Scheme

The pension scheme for the 4,000 teachers of British Columbia will be revised this year, the third phase in revamping shaky superannuation funds for public servants in the province. Hon. G. M. Weir, Minister of Education, announced today.

S. H. Pipe, Toronto actuary, has been engaged by the government to make an actuarial study of the scheme and submit a report on rearranging contributions and pensions on a sound basis.

Legislation to redraft the scheme will be submitted to the Legislature next fall. Mr. Pipe was the actuary who conducted surveys and recommended new pension plans for the civil service and municipal employees. The civil service scheme was redrafted three years ago and the new municipal plan will be put into operation on April 1. It involves reductions in pensions for some of those now on retiring allowances and a change in the basis of payments.

The teachers' pension fund at March 31 contained \$1,802,234, but the reserve fund was pretty well taken up by pension payments. There were 4,074 teachers contributing and 259 drawing pensions.

The government made a grant of \$25,000 a year for 10 years to build up the pension reserve, but this grant expired last year.

### Great U.S. Borrowing

WASHINGTON (AP)—The United States treasury will have to borrow \$2,376,000,000 from the public in the 1940 fiscal year, it is indicated by President Roosevelt's budget estimates, placed before Congress yesterday.

His message disclosed the public debt would hit a new high of \$44,458,000,000 by June 30, 1940, an increase of \$3,326,000,000 over the estimated debt June 30, 1939.

### BIG NARCOTIC SEIZURE

NEW YORK (AP)—A blazing waterfront gun battle in which patrolman James Bute was wounded in the hand early today climaxed a three and a half months' undercover investigation and resulted in the capture of three men and confiscation of narcotics valued at \$50,000.

The narcotics were landed from the Italian freighter, Ida. Three others were taken from the freighter when it docked at Hoboken, N.J., and were brought here for questioning. Police said 250 pounds of opium were confiscated.

## OBITUARIES

WHITE—The funeral of Mrs. Jessie White took place yesterday afternoon from Sands Mortuary. Rev. T. G. Griffiths officiated. The pallbearers were: R. Jackson, J. F. Murray, William Young, James Fenerty, Stanley Woods and George Woods. The remains were laid at rest in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

TOLMIE—The funeral of Mrs. Cecelia Tolmie will take place tomorrow morning from Sands Mortuary at 8.50, and 10 minutes later mass will be celebrated in St. Andrew's Cathedral by Monsignor A. G. Baker. The remains will be laid at rest in the family plot in Royal Oak Burial Park.

LOEFFLER—Rev. Edwin Bracher conducted the funeral services yesterday afternoon at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel for Mrs. Margaret Loeffler. The following were pallbearers: Lawrence Moore, H. Siebenbaum, Ilmari Kuusinen and A. McKinnon. The remains were laid at rest in the family plot in Royal Oak Burial Park.

HOGG—The funeral of Charles Henry Hogg will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2 from Sands Mortuary. Adjutant Charles Watt will officiate, and the remains will be laid at rest in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

HUGGAN—Robert Huggan, a former resident of Victoria, died yesterday in the Vancouver General Hospital, aged 77 years. Mr. Huggan lived in this city for 30 years, latterly at 2056 Granite Street, before leaving here two years ago for Vancouver to make his home there. He leaves one son, William, in Vancouver. The remains will arrive tomorrow on Monday afternoon at 2.30, followed by interment in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery. Rev. F. L. Stephenson will officiate.

BATY—Miss Margaret Baty, a resident of Victoria for 23 years, died last night at the Aged Women's Home. She was born in England in July, 1850, and leaves a niece, Mrs. W. Kennedy, in this city. Funeral services will be conducted at 3.30 tomorrow afternoon at McCall Bros. Funeral Home. Rev. G. H. Scarrett officiating. Interment will be in Royal Oak Burial Park.

WAIND—Word has been received here of the death at New York of Stanley M. Waind, only son of Mr. J. H. Waind, 1218 McKenzie Street. The deceased was a former Victoria, having resided in New York for the past 12 years. He leaves his widow at Astoria, Long Island, N.Y.

## Telephone Change Opposed

VANCOUVER (CP)—Opposition to inauguration of an automatic telephone system in Vancouver was voiced by Alderman John Bennett at the city hall yesterday on the grounds it would mean loss of employment for many women and girls.

"Arguments that an automatic service won't throw girls out of work is a lot of poppycock and rubbish," he said.

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## H. G. Wells Doubts Reichsfuehrer's Sanity

MELBOURNE (CP Haves)—Prime Minister Joseph A. Lyons today expressed regret that H. G. Wells, noted British author now visiting Australia, had made disparaging remarks about Chancellor Hitler and Premier Mussolini in an interview.

Mr. Wells told newspapermen he considered "Hitler certifiably as a lunatic and Mussolini as a fantastic renegade from social democracy."

Eva Tangany, 60, who made "I Don't Care" famous, is critically sick in Hollywood. This old-time picture shows her at the height of her stage popularity.



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## Quebec Favors B.C. Education

Likely to Follow Junior High System, Says Montreal Visitor

Quebec is likely to follow the system of junior high schools which has been in force in British Columbia for some years, it was stated today by G. S. Norman Ingram, partner in the Montreal firm of Gian and Company, probably the largest publishers of text books in the world, discussing the Hepburn survey of Protestant education in Quebec and the reorganization that will follow.

Mr. and Mrs. Ingram have just returned from a California tour and are staying at the Empress Hotel for a few days before returning east.

"Considerable interest is displayed in Quebec in the curriculum research work which has been done in British Columbia and Alberta and no doubt the new Quebec curriculum will take full advantage of the work done in those provinces," said Mr. Ingram.

Coming here fresh from California, Mr. Ingram was impressed with the reaction to President Roosevelt's speech in Washington, D.C., on Wednesday. "I found a very fine reaction to Mr. Roosevelt's speech and the greatest sympathy across the border for the problems of the British Empire," he said.

"I have no doubt that Canada and the United States are closer together than ever before and that the great English-speaking democracies are going to present a united front toward pressing world problems."

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## Search for Bodies

MISSION, B.C. (CP)—The mythical Japanese "water god" was called on today to aid in recovery of the bodies of three Japanese drowned in Stave River January 1 when their skiff capsized.

Japanese searchers in boats covered Stave Lake, into which the river flows, hunting the bodies of Genga Shinohara, 50, shingle bolt contractor, and Takumitsu Yamanoto, 35, and Kikizo Kunimura, 55, his employees.

Each search boat carried a rooster. The Japanese said the birds would crow if the bodies of the victims were near. Another old Japanese custom of writing the victim's names on paper and watching for the paper to sink, supposedly at the spot where the victim's body lies, was not used.

## January Clearance

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SKIR HOSE—All sizes and colors. Special pair 25c

FLANNELLETTES GOWN—Each 49c

SKIR SLIPS—Satin and velveteen. Special 59c

UNFINISHED FLANNELLETTES SHEETS—36x48 inches. Each 89c

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## Unemployed Figures

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## MAILS

9 p.m.: arrive Nanaimo, Vancouver, January 27. Skagway, January 28.  
 Mount McKinley, Seattle, February 4.  
 8 a.m.: arrive Juneau, February 7; Skagway, February 8.  
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Frankfurter is an old friend of the President, having served with Roosevelt on the Labor Policies Board in World War days. "Frankfurter's Boys," the label tacked on the scores of former students he has sent into responsible positions in the national government. An Austrian-born Jew who could not speak English when he came to United States at the age of 12, he

A national poll recently showed Professor Frankfurter to be the lawyer's choice for the Supreme Court appointment. His influence on the legal profession has not been confined to United States, as Canadian law students from Halifax to Victoria have gone to take his lectures. He declined appointment to the Massachusetts Supreme Court.

Frankfurter played a prominent part in drafting the New Deal Securities Act and holding company legislation, but for the most part has shunned continuing service at Washington, preferring the role of adviser from the campus at Cambridge. His distinct "liberal," he is said to be the heir of Holmes-Cardozo-Brandeis philosophy. Frankfurter opposed the President

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Canadian Car and Dosco made up ground lost early in the day.

to close unchanged, with C.P.R. and National Steel Car a trifle lower.

Hudson Bay Mining added  $\frac{1}{8}$  for a new 1938-39 high at 35 $\frac{1}{2}$ . Noranda added  $\frac{1}{4}$ , with Nickel softening the same amount.

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# LONG LAC MOVES UP

TORONTO (CP)—Gold share

had the call on Toronto share market today and the group displayed more strength than at any other period in more than a month. Base metals and western oil shares showed a slight margin on the down side for the day. Volume was comparatively heavy at about 1,100,000 shares.

Little Long Lac Gold stood out with a gain of about 25 and Macassa had about the same advance, while gains of 5 to 10 appeared for Pickle Crow, Sylvaite, Wright-Hargreaves, O'Brien, Hard Rock, MacLeod-Cockshutt, Chesterville, Central Patricia and Moneta.

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Goodway Tire com.	27	27

Do. pfd	14	17
Guthrie Power pfd	36	57
Hiram Walker G and W	48	40
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Imperial Oil	16	16
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Inter. Petroleum	26	27
Loiblau Groc. A	24	24
McColl Frontenac pfd.	91	90
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Bank of Montreal	208	210
Royal Bank	185	190
(By J. W. Jones Ltd.)		
Aldermac		Clo
Base Metals		30
Bankfield		21
Buffalo Ankerite		26
Canadian Malartic		15 1/2
Carter Malartic		91
Crest Tretheway		91
Crest Pacific		10 1/2
Chemical Research		25 1/2
Cons. & Resources		

Dome Mines	230
East Malartic	22
Eldorado	22
Falconbridge	22
Federal Kirkland	85
Francœur	2
God's Lake	2
Gunnar Gold	4
Hard Rock	18
Hollinger	148
Howey Gold	2
Hudson Bay	552
Jacobs	1
Jellison	1

J. M. Connel dated	13
Kirkland Lake	20
Lake Elbow	24
Leitch Gold	24
Little Long Lac	24
McIntyre	21
McKenzie Red Lake	12
McLeod Cocksbutt	20
McWatters Gold	1
Macnam	87
Mining Corporation	18
Moneta	14
Nasipung	17
Noranda	1
O'Brien Gold	1

Famous Porcupine	47
Paymaster	17
Pen's Oville	17
Perron Gold	17
Pickle Crow	17
Powell Bouyn	17
Premier Gold	17
Preston East Dome	17
Privately	17
Red Crest	17

## Bonds

NEW YORK—A buying movement in United States Government loans got under way in the

Sydney 5-1-1955	100.00	90.00	(By Mara, Bote & Co. Ltd)	
United Kingdom 4-1950	98.75	97.75		
Above prices	from New York			
<b>PROVINCIAL</b>				
<b>Toronto Wholesale Prices</b>				
	<b>Bid</b>	<b>Asked</b>		
Alberta 4-1954	34.00	36.00		
Do 8-1-1955	35.00	41.25		
British Columbia 4-1957	92.50	91.50		
Do 4-1-1953	97.50	98.50		
Do 4-1-1954	100.00	101.75		
Manitoba 4-1960	81.00	85.00		
Do 3-1-1958	86.00	92.00		
<b>MINES</b>				
Big Missouri				
Brinsford			27	\$19.50
Calumet			25	9.00
Detonora			8	
Falconer Amalgamated			3 1/2	
Gold Bond				58 1/2
Grand				6 1/2
Grand Washaka				10 1/2
Hedley Mascot			126	13 1/2
Hedley Sterling				

C.P.R. 3-1-1943	87.00	87.00	Bernie McDonald	20	1%
Canadian Pacific 3-1-1943	87.00	87.00	Wm. Arlington	12	1%
Domestic Train 4 1/2 195T	104.00		Reno Gums	28	1%
Panama Pacific 3-1-1943	90.50	100.25	Reward	20	1%
Gateway Power 3-1-1943	102.50		Luz Argentina	5	5%
General Electric 3-1-1943	102.50	104.25			
Mahony Harris 3-1-1947	101.25	102.00	Samson Gold	3	10 1/2%
McCall Frontiers 4 1/2 1949 95	100.00	100.00	Sherrill Creek	81	81%
Blackburn & 1-1951	90.50	90.50	Wm. Farmer	176	176%
Simpsons Ltd 4 1/2 1951	90.50	102.25	Taylor Bridge	2	2%
U. Grain Growers 3-1-1948	90.00	94.00	Vedette	2	2%
<b>DOMINION OF CANADA</b>					
	Bid	Asked	Woke		
4 1/2 September 1943			Wellington	1	1%
				1	1%

1	Perpetual	82	97	Dalhousie Oil	68
2	January 1942-67, N.Y.	82	97	Eastman	11
<b>DOMINION GUARANTEE</b>					
G.T.P.	3% 1962	99	100	Firestone	11
Do	4% 1962	100		Forthville	12
C.N.R.	3% 1944	104	105	Foundation	12
Do	3% 1945-58	99	99	Four Star	10
Do	3% 1948-53	98	98	Freehold	0
C.N.R.	2 1/2% 1958	102	--	Hargis	0
<b>UTILITIES</b>					
(B) H A Number Ltd.					
		Mid	Askd	Household Sarcos	31
				Rom Home	240
				Madison	360
				Mar Jon	0
				Meridian	5
					0

<b>CALGARY—Receipts to noon:</b>		Southend Pete	10
88 cattle, 20 calves, 8 hogs, 195		Oil	10
sheep.		Vanilla	10 1/2
		Vulcan	82 1/2
		Westland	10
		West Turner Pete	7
<b>Cattle market active; prices</b>		<b>MISCELLANEOUS—</b>	
<b>firm. Good to choice butcher</b>		Copied Estline	106
<b>steers, \$5 to \$6; good to choice</b>		Coal	119 1/2
<b>heifers, \$4.50 to \$5; good cows,</b>		Inter. Coal and Coke	29
<b>\$3.50 to \$4; good to choice val-</b>		United Distillers	75
<b>calves, \$5.50 to \$6.50; good feeder</b>			

February 1 to shareholders of record January 14.

Eastern Theatre, preferred, 3½ per cent, payable January 31 to shareholders of record January 14.

Ault and Wagon, preferred, 1½ per cent, payable February 1 to shareholders of record January 14.

**MONTREAL JCF**—Spot, Copper, electrolytic, 11.85; Tin, 45.20; Lead, 4.20; Zinc, 4.30; Antimony, 15.00; Per 100 lbs. Feb. 1900, five-lion lots.

**NEW YORK (AP)**—Bar silver 42½, unchanged.

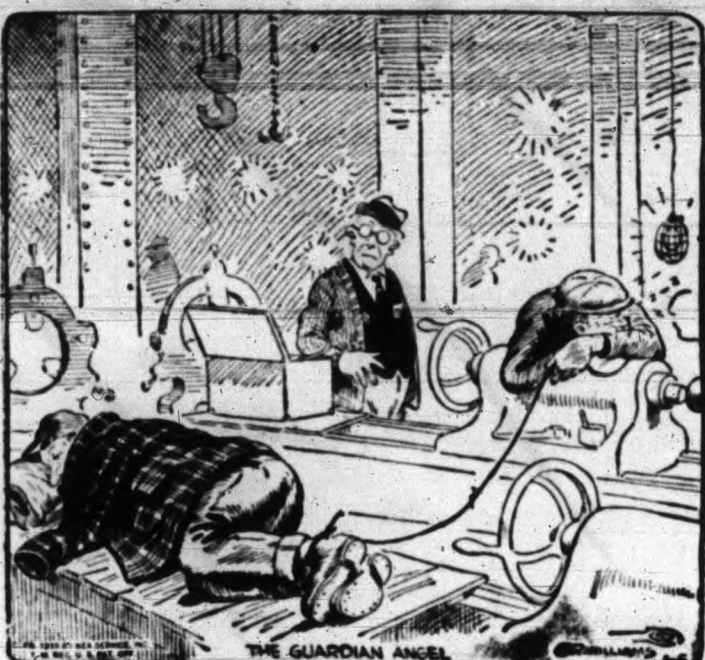
**NEW YORK (AP)**—Copper, steady; electrolytic, spot, 11.25; export, 10.82; Tin, steady; spot and nearby, 45½; forward, 46½.

**Lead**, steady; spot, New York, 4.60; forward, 4.65.

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## By Williams



**By Martin**



**By George McManus**



**By V. T. Hamlin**



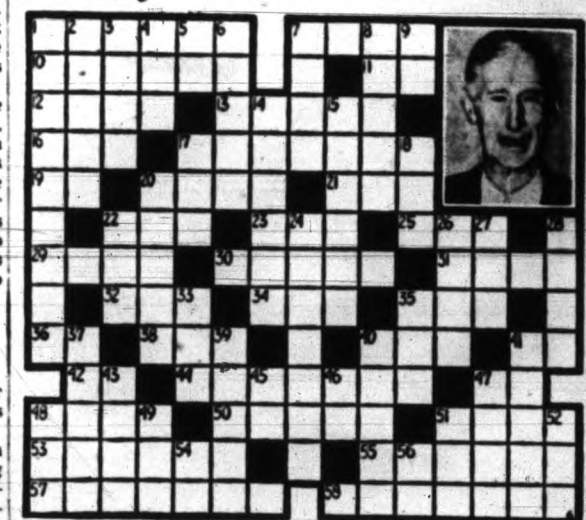
**By Merrill Blossen**



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1 His real name is — Mc-Gilllicuddy,  
2 Liquid part of fat.  
3 Birds' home.  
4 Wood demon.  
5 Neuter pronoun.  
6 Weird.  
7 To change place.  
8 Pink.  
9 Measure.  
14 Exultant.  
15 Corroded.  
17 High mountain.  
18 Modern.  
20 Ostentatious display.  
22 Possesses.  
24 He is known for his — to handle baseball players.  
26 Chill.  
27 Acquired.  
28 Brim.  
33 Sweet potato.  
35 Public auto.  
37 Amphitheatre.

40 Account of  
game points.  
41 Giantess of  
fate.  
43 Shower.  
45 North Africa.  
46 Sloth.  
47 Den.  
48 Male cat.  
49 Rattle bird.  
51 Unit.  
52 Coin.  
54 No good.  
56 Preposition.



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**Official Beaten to  
Death in India**

CUTTACK, India (AP)—A mob carrying staves beat to death Major Reginald Louis Bazalgette, political agent of Orissa province, when he attempted to halt its march today on the palace of the Rajah of Ranpur.

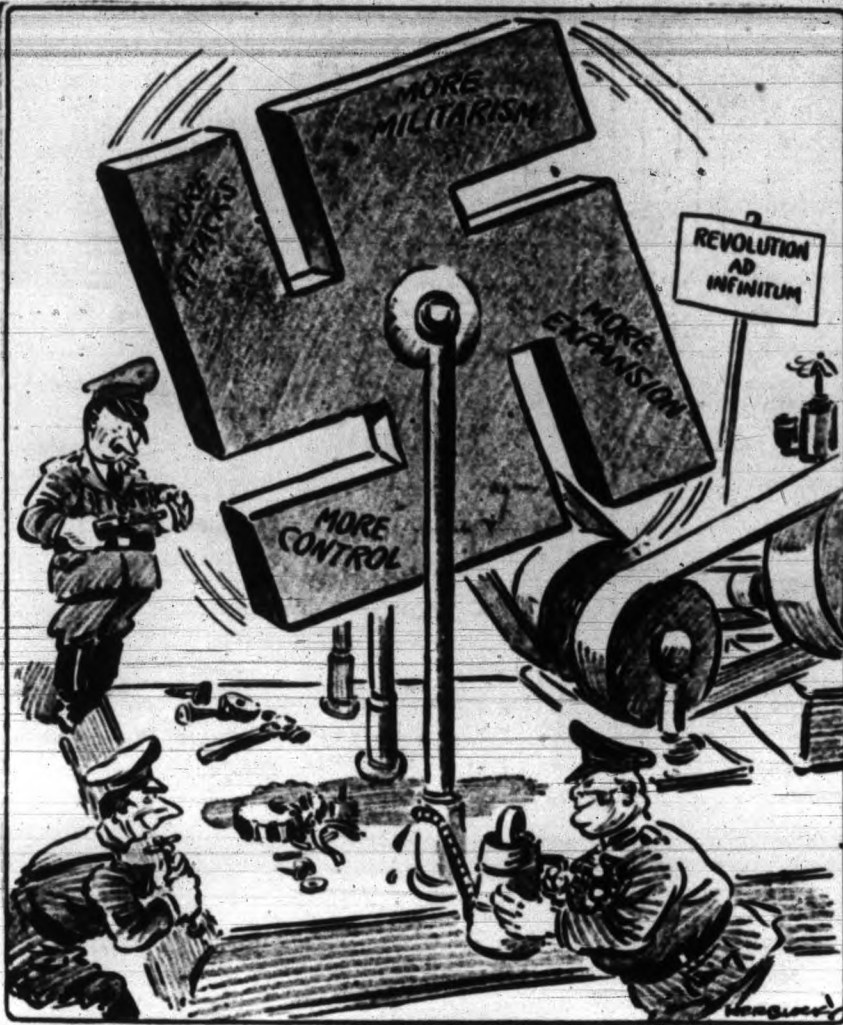
An Indian officer was injured seriously. The trouble followed the arrest of several members of Praj Mandal, banned political organization, which demanded increased participation by the people in the government.

Bazalgette fired on the demonstrators when they refused to disperse, it is reported, and killed two of them.

**Epiphany in Quebec**

MONTREAL (CP)—Old Quebec province, predominantly French and Roman Catholic, observed the feast of Epiphany today with traditional family gatherings, special church services and business inactivity befitting the season of "les fetes."

Known familiarly as Little Christmas, or Day of the Kings, Epiphany commemorates the adoration of Christ by the Magi. At the provincial capital Rodrigue Cardinal Villeneuve celebrated pontifical high mass at the Basilica.

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Odd lines and broken 12s. Per pair

**9c**

**MEN'S WORK SHIRTS**—Salt and pepper grey faced, big cut, full yoke, extension non-rip cuffs, triple stitched and all sizes—you need we tell you they are cheap at..... **59c**

**MEN'S WORK SHIRTS**—Assorted lot gathered together from both our stores; they are broken lines, but all clean. Values to 1.50..... **69c**

**MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS**—Sailed and broken lines; big assortment; pick 'em quick. Values to 1.50..... **59c**

**MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS**—Cleaning up all the odd lines of our best quality shirts. Values to 2.50..... **98c**

**MEN'S COVERALLS**—Not soiled, not junk, not bad sizes; they just don't click because they are khaki, so if you don't mind the shade, you can get a regular..... **\$1.29**

**SLIGHTLY SOILED**

**LADIES' CORSETS AND GIRDLES**—Assorted lot to clear at

**HALF PRICE**

**GIRLS' WOOL PULLOVER SWEATERS**—Sizes 8 to 14 years. Were 1.50. Now..... **98c**

**BOYS' COMBINATIONS**—"Turn-bull's" cream rib knit, buttonless. Short sleeves and knee length. Regular 15c. Per pair..... **49c**

**BOYS' LONG PANTS**—Assorted lot to clear. Smart dark patterns, made in two styles—with belt attached or elastic waist. Sizes 24 to 32. Regular 1.79..... **98c**

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**49c**

**MEN'S SWEATER COATS**—Assorted lot, smart patterns and good sizes. Regular price 1.50..... **98c**

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**Hot Water Bottles 29c**

"Will they let water out?" said the guy with a grin. "Of course," said the clerk. "If you put water in." "You are frauds," said the guy. "And for two pins I might—"

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**FAIR PROPHECY**—Getting the finishing touches in Tel-Aviv, Palestine, is this heroic relief statue of the prophet Isaiah, destined for the Jewish Palestine Pavilion of the New York World's Fair.

**Telford Plans Movies**

VANCOUVER (CP)—Mayor J. Lyle Telford plans to use a motion picture camera to publicize the city's archives and beauty spots to tourists.

The mayor said today he hopes to make motion picture shots of the many rare relics in the archives, and to make airplane movie shots of Garibaldi Park, north of here, in an effort to attract tourists.

"It will mean dollars and cents return to Vancouver," the new mayor predicted.

An Italian archaeologist reports finding a fragment of a poem by Sappho among 12,000 papyrus writings discovered in Egypt.



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